

EXAMINATIONS ABOUT ENDED

Earlington Graded and High School Ends Good Year This Week.

ATTENDANCE BETTER THIS YEAR THAN EVER BEFORE.

Examinations have been in full swing this week and part of last at Earlington Graded and High School and children and teachers are closing in good form perhaps the best year's work that is on record since the school grew to its present magnitude.

The faculty is as follows: R. Y. Maxey, principal; Miss Van Ardell, assisting the principal in high school and eighth grade; Miss Moore, sixth and seventh grades; Miss Riley, fifth and sixth; Mrs. Kline, fourth; Miss Willis, third; Miss Sisk, second; Miss Mothershead, first.

The school just closing shows the largest enrollment and best average attendance of any session in its history.

The total enrollment this year was 395 and the average attendance for the year was 287.

Enrollment by Grades.

	Boys	Girls
First grade	36	30
Second grade	40	31
Third grade	26	38
Fourth grade	30	25
Fifth grade	20	12
Sixth grade	20	27
Seventh grade	8	16
Eighth grade	9	5
High School	6	9

The percentage of attendance based on enrollment has average 74. Average attendance last year was 254, while this year's average is 287, showing a gain of 33 in average. During both years the attendance was affected the fifth, sixth and seventh months by epidemics of measles, mumps and other mild diseases. The average attendance by months for the present year and last year compare as follows:

Present year. Last year.

First month	321	290
Second month	310	296
Third month	287	278
Fourth month	296	264
Fifth month	288	240
Sixth month	255	207
Seventh month	265	229
Eighth month	277	244
Ninth month	275	241

COCAINE HABIT OBJECT OF HEALTH LEAGUE ACTIVITY

Movement to Control Sale of Deadly Drug and Curb Its Distribution.

New York, May 24.—Calling upon Congress for a form of tariff protection that will guard American homes from the ravages of the cocaine habit, thousands of medical men, philanthropic workers and the principal drug houses in this city are supporting the recommendation of the American Health League for federal control of the deadly drug. Only by placing a prohibitory duty on foreign cocaine, with which the illegal distributors are supplied by defiance of state laws, can the growth of drug dives throughout the country be checked, the leaders of the movement declare. From every section reports have been received showing that the people are ready to demand this relief from the vice that is spreading.

Only 50 per cent of the cocaine consumed in the United States last year was devoted to legitimate uses, experts are prepared to show. While American manufacturers and wholesalers are

refusing to pander to the increasing demands of the illicit distributors and can be held accountable by state and local authorities for their sales, no hold can be obtained on the underground supply of the drug from abroad. Coca leaves, from which the drug victims may extract a form of cocaine with which to meet their craving, are free of duty and easily available.

Leaders of the reform movement have presented to the finance committee of the Senate the people's claims for protection. A prohibitory tariff of \$1.50 an ounce on the foreign supply of the drug is recommended as well as a duty of five cents a pound on the coca leaves, which will give Uncle Sam control of their distribution.

MISS MAGGIE BOWLES COMMITTS SUICIDE.

Report that Deed was Result of Misunderstanding with Sweetheart.

Madisonville, Ky., May 25.—Miss Maggie Bowles, about twenty years of age, who lives in the north part of town, committed suicide by shooting herself through the heart. The deed was committed in the presence of the family. The bullet was from a 32-caliber pistol, fired into the heart, and death was almost instantaneous. Miss Bowles was engaged to be married to a young man who lives a few miles out in the country. He called yesterday morning with his buggy and he and his sweetheart went to church at Olive Branch, a church about eight miles from Madisonville. During the day a lovers' quarrel arose, and it is supposed that this so preyed on her mind that she resolved to take her own life.

CHILDREN'S DAY AT METHODIST CHURCH.

Attractive Program Filled House to Standing Room Sunday Morning.

The celebration of Children's Day at the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, on Sunday drew a record-breaking attendance to witness a beautiful and interesting program of songs and other exercises by the younger children of the school. Flowers were profusely used in the form of wreaths and wands and bouquets and the little girls all had their hair decorated with roses. Mrs. Morrison, Misses Crenshaw, Borders and others lent their best efforts to training the children for the occasion. Mrs. Morrison being commander-in-chief of the musical exercises and the children showed the effects of patient training. A special collection was taken which amounted to more than \$17. The church was filled to standing room.

WATKINS-McCULLOCH

Approaching Wedding of Prominent Owensboro People Announced.

Owensboro, Ky., May 24.—Announcement has been made of the approaching wedding of William Keith McCulloch and Miss Sue Roberts Watkins, which will take place Wednesday, June 30. These young people are among the most prominent members of the younger set in Owensboro. Mr. McCulloch is the son of J. W. McCulloch, the wealthy distiller and politician, while Miss Watkins is the daughter of Dr. S. S. Watkins, formerly of Cloverport.

It pays to advertise in The Bee

FOUR CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

Tearful Ending of Home Musical Entertainment, at Central City.

NELL MCGARY, DAUGHTER OF F. E. MCGARY AMONG THE NUMBER.

Central City, Ky., May 25.—Four little girls are dead as a result of an accident during a musical class exhibited at Gish's Opera House last night, when the dress of one of the little girls became ignited from an electric candle and set fire to the other children next her. All Central City is in mourning tonight for the sad fate that brought so much sorrow, not only to the parents of the victims, but to the entire community.

All day business has been almost suspended here and every one has worn an anxious face and waited with bated breaths news from the bed-sides of the little unfortunates. But only sad news came in every instance where the victims were badly burned.

Nell McGary, 5 years old, daughter of F. E. McGary, manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, died this morning about 4 o'clock this afternoon. Zelma Clay, 5 years old, and Dorothy Clay, 7 years old, daughters of Allen Clay, foreman of the Central City foundry, passed away. They were beautiful children and with their death Mr. and Mrs. Clay are left childless.

Later during the afternoon Louise Marshall, 12 years old, daughter of Mrs. William Marshall, of Morgantown, and niece of Councilman William Holtsey, died.

Rena May Miller, 5 years old, daughter of W. W. Miller, a merchant is said to be fatally burned and her death is momentarily expected.

Nell McGary's remains were taken to Madisonville, for burial this afternoon. Louise Marshall will be taken to Morgantown for burial tomorrow.

Mrs. B. C. Boyd, to whose music class the little children belonged and who was giving the entertainment, had her hands and hair badly burned and is in a precarious condition as a result of her injuries and nervous prostration. Her heroic efforts in putting out the fire saved several of her pupils from the sad fate met by four of them. Her home is surrounded by solicitous friends and numerous inquiries throughout the day show the appreciation of the parents of the little ones who were saved.

Little Nell McGary was buried yesterday morning from the home of her uncle, John McGary, at Madisonville. The interment was at Odd Fellows Cemetery. Her father, F. E. McGary, was formerly for some years a resident of Earlington and has numerous relatives here and in the county.

Preparing for International Tax Meeting at Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., May 25.—Preparations for the meeting of the International Tax Commission, which will meet here September 21 next, are being rapidly pushed to completion. Advance reports received here indicate that fully twenty Governors of States, along with distinguished experts on taxation from all parts of the world, will be present.

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GEN. JOHNSON HAS RESIGNED

Gov. Willson Speaks Most Highly of Him and May Not Accept Resignation.

GOVERNOR HAS DONE NOTHING TO OFFEND THE GENERAL.

Frankfort, Ky., May 25.—Resenting what he thought was an insinuation against him, Adj. Gen. P. P. Johnston has resigned his position and written a scorching letter to Gov. Willson, giving his reason for taking the step. Following this Gen. Johnston left for Florida to spend several weeks on his plantation there. It is probable that Gov. Willson will decline to accept his resignation and will endeavor to induce Gen. Johnston to withdraw his resignation, as Gov. Willson holds Gen. Johnston in the highest esteem and has the greatest confidence in his judgment and ability.

The resignation of Gen. Johnston followed a split with Gov. Willson, that is a split of which Gov. Willson knew nothing. Gen. Johnston is a very sensitive man, self contained and inmostations. He and Gov. Willson have not only been close in an official way, but have been intimate personal friends. Gen. Johnston has frequently taken meals at the mansion and was thoroughly at home there. If Gen. Johnston thought that any reflection had been cast upon him he would either fight the man who cast the reflection or would say nothing about it. If the reflection was cast by his superior, Gen. Johnston would do nothing but promptly hand in his resignation.

Asked About Expenditures.

It is reported here that Gen. Johnston thought Gov. Willson had reflected on him by the method he adopted in making an investigation into the monetary affairs of the State. Gov. Willson has asked the State Auditor for many items of expenditure in an effort to discover some way to cut down expenses and it is said that the Governor wanted to know how the money of the military department had been spent. It is said that Gen. Johnston thought that this was a reflection on him and that the Governor meant to insinuate that the affairs of the military department have not been properly managed. It is said that the Governor wanted to know whether or not the expenditure for the military branch had been exceeded.

Gov. Willson was surprised this morning when he was asked if Gen. Johnston had resigned, and he said he would not believe the resignation had been tendered until he saw the letter. The Governor, however, received Gen. Johnston's resignation this afternoon. Regarding Gen. Johnston, Gov. Willson said:

"I have the highest personal regard for Gen. Johnston and consider him an able man in every way. I have never done anything to offend him and I know of nothing that could have caused him to resign. Gen. Johnston and I have been intimate friends outside of official life, and I know of nothing that has been done to hurt his feelings, even though he is a sensitive man."

"Old Folks' Day" at M. E. Church, South. The services at the M. E. Church, South, Sunday, May 30th, at 11 a. m., will be for the

old people. Everybody will be welcome. Old hymns will be sung—the hymns you heard when you were young. Last Sunday was "Children's Day" but next Sunday will be what you might style "Old Folks' Day" and all the services will be appropriate to the occasion. Rev. Brandon will preach that day. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Epworth League 7:15 p. m., and preaching at 7:45 p. m.

RETIRED MERCHANT DIES AT ST. CHARLES.

Chas Gribble, Father of Mrs. H. G. Bryan, of Madisonville, Succumbs.

Chas Gribble, of St. Charles, died Sunday at noon of rheumatism after a long period of ill health. He had been a sufferer of this disease for eight or nine years and was unable to check its progress, death occurring as the result.

The deceased was 47 years old and at one time one of the most prominent business men of Hopkins county, but was compelled to retire from the mercantile field, because of illness. He was a successful merchant and had a large patronage in St. Charles and adjoining towns.

Mr. Gribble is survived by a wife and five children, one of whom is Mrs. H. G. Bryan, of Madisonville. The remains were laid to rest at Christian Privilege Monday afternoon in the presence of a large number of friends, relatives and acquaintances. The services at the grave were conducted by the St. Charles Masonic lodge, of which he has been a member for years.

PRESIDENT TAFT ACCEPTS

Made a Trustee of Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute.

Hampton, W. Va., May 23.—At the commencement exercises at the Hampton Normal and Agricultural institute today a letter was read from President Taft in which he announces his acceptance of a place on the Board of Trustees of that school for the education of the negro and the Indian.

Mr. Taft's letter to Dr. H. B. Frissell, Principal of the school, was as follows:

"White House, Washington, D. C., May 14, 1909.—My Dear Mr. Frissell: I have your note announcing my election as a member of the Board of Hampton Trustees. I consider it an honor to be one of them, and shall be very glad to contribute what little I can to the continued success of the school. Very sincerely yours, 'WILLIAM H. TAFT.'"

UGANDA NEEDS "FIGGERS"

Natives Must Learn to Compute How Many Animals Roosevelt Kills.

Denver, May 24.—"The board of foreign missions wants more arithmetics. These books are needed by the natives in Uganda, who wish to be able to compute the number of lions and tigers and giraffes slain by our beloved former President."

This was one of the requests by Dr. Judson Swift, D. D., of New York, secretary of the American Tract Society, who spoke before the general assembly of the Presbyterian church today.

"The greatest work yet to be done by the church," he added, "lies in the American home. America never will be saved until the threshold of the home is crossed. It is all very well to preach from the churches, but the home remains unchristian."

MONUMENT TO UNION SOLDIERS

Will be Erected in Court House Yard at Madisonville.

COMMITTEE AT WORK NOW SOLICITING FOR THIS PURPOSE.

The movement to erect a monument to Federal soldiers in the northeast corner of the court house yard at Madisonville is taking practical shape, through the work of a committee just now appointed to raise money by subscription for this purpose. Capt. Paul P. Price is the Earlington member of this committee. R. R. Graham is chairman, Thos. E. Finley, treasurer, and Capt. J. O. Bacon, secretary. The Hopkins Fiscal Court has set apart the necessary site and appropriated \$300 to be paid when the monument is complete. The following announcement was made at the meeting held in the office of Capt. Bacon, at which the committee was formed and set to work:

To Whom It May Concern:

At a meeting held by some friends of the departed ex-Union soldiers for the purpose of the erection of a monument in memory of those old patriots, who fought under Old Glory in the different wars.

That it was agreed that a monument should be erected for the above purpose on a lot in the northwest corner of the court house yard, same being given for the above purpose by the members of the fiscal court at its April term, 1909. And that the following committee was appointed to raise money by subscription for the above purpose: R. R. Graham, J. H. Fox, J. O. Bacon, Charles Ashby, C. D. Wright, T. E. Finley and Paul P. Price. And it was agreed that the said committee shall erect and cause to be erected in the above said lot a monument for the above purpose. And that they are to let to the lowest and best bidder the erection of same as soon as the proper funds can be raised.

And that after the organization of said committee, the following officers were appointed: R. R. Graham, chairman; T. E. Finley, treasurer; J. O. Bacon, secretary. And that any member of said committee is authorized to receive and receipt for any money given for the above purpose and deposit same in a bank in the name of T. E. Finley, treasurer of the monument fund. And that each committeeman is to report to the secretary on the last day of each month the amount received and what bank deposited in.

Respectfully

J. H. Fox,
C. D. Wright,
Committee.
R. R. GRAHAM, Chair.
THOS. E. FINLEY, Treas.
J. O. BACON, Sec.

AGUINALDO AS HIS GUEST

Former Leader to Spend Week With Vice Governor of Philippines.

Manila, May 23.—Emilio Aguinaldo, commander of the native forces during the insurrection, left for Baguio today to spend a week as the guest of Vice Governor W. Cameron Forbes at the latter's country place. This is Aguinaldo's first visit to the northern mountains since his memorable retreat in that direction with several columns of American troops in pursuit. He has been engaged recently to planting at Cavite.

Local Happenings

Four rooms to rent, in splendid condition. Apply to Mrs. P. B. Davis.

Blakemore's Orchestra will make music for the rink Friday night.

Buck Shaver, who has been quite ill in Nashville, is reported better.

Mrs. John Rule, who has been quite ill for two weeks, is no better.

Rev. Gregson, of Princeton, preached at the Baptist church Sunday.

Boru to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Magenheimer a fine boy. Both are doing well.

Mrs. McGee, mother of Mrs. W. H. Leahy, who has been quite sick, is improving.

The baseball game Sunday between Barnsley and Earlington was won by Earlington by a score of 10 to 8.

Rev. Geo. C. Abblitt who preaches here will not accept the call lately offered him in Virginia a short time ago.

Next week a new Jewellery firm of Evansville will occupy the store formerly occupied by Charles Trumpy.

Tommy Featherston won the prize at the rink Saturday night for guessing at the pictures of six of our young ladies.

Mortons Gap team and E. A. C. played a game of ball Saturday. The result was 13 to 5 in favor of Mortons Gap.

Frank B. Arnold has in the window of his bank a lemon tree with several large lemons and a good number of small ones growing.

On account of the condition of the ball ground, the game between the fats and lemons has been postponed until one day next week. Bills will be sent around notifying the people when the game will be played.

The Earlington baseball team will play Dawson, at Dawson, Sunday, May 30. A special train is on between Central City and Dawson and connection can be made with the Dixie Flyer, so you can come back same day. The battery for Earlington is Peyton and Goodloe.

Mr. John Twyman, who has been with the St. Bernard Store in charge their undertaking department for some time, has resigned and has accepted a position with W. R. Woodruff Furniture Co. at Providence. John thoroughly understands the undertaking business and we hope he will do well.

The Ladies Aid Society and C. W. B. M. of the Christian Church will serve strawberries and ice cream at the Victory building, Tuesday evening June 1st. All those who enjoyed their splendid lunch in that building recently will be there and the service will be such that you should not miss it.

Locomotive Blasts.

W. F. Sheridan was in the city a few days last week.

Frank Withers was in the county seat Monday.

F. G. Payue was in Madisonville on business Saturday.

Chester J. Hutcherson made relatives in Henderson a visit Sunday.

Brakeman R. V. Almon, who has been on the St. Louis division, is now back on this division.

Browder Myers, who has been baggage agent on the L. & N. for ten years has purchased a store in Madisonville and will be there in the future.

H. L. Bramwell, who has been on the north local for some time, is now on through run, relieving Wm. Baldwin who has severed his connection with the L. & N.

Traffic has increased so enor-

mously on the Tehuantepec National Railroad, which spans the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, that it has become necessary to double the capacity of the piers at the ports of Santa Cruz and Coatzacoalcos. Plans for the work already have been prepared. It is stated that more than \$20,000,000 will be spent in the process of improvements.

Boston—E. H. Harriman has recently engaged F. J. Sprague, the electrical engineer and inventor of the multiple unit system of electrical propulsion, to have charge of the electrification of steam roads for the Union Pacific system. Mr. Sprague is at present at work upon plans for the carrying of Union Pacific trains through the Sierra Nevada Mountains by electricity and the use of tunnels, which will permit of a 1½ per cent to 2 per cent grade.

A report issued by the state railroad commissioners of Pennsylvania shows a marked increase in fatalities on the railroads in that State. Perhaps the most striking feature is the large percentage of these fatalities directly chargeable to trespassing on the roads. Out of 236 persons killed during the first three months of the current year 144 were trespassers. In the corresponding three months of last year 145 persons were killed on the railroads of the state, of whom eighty-three were trespassers.

A railroad map of the United States that is believed to be the largest ever sent abroad has just been shipped by the St. Paul Railway for display at the Golden West and American Industries Exhibition in London. The map is 47 feet 9 inches long and 13 feet 6 inches high, is painted in colors on transparent tracing cloth and is illustrated by electricity from the back. It is flanked on the right and left sides by twenty glass transparencies, showing in the colors some of the best scenery along the St. Paul Road. The map is to occupy a conspicuous place in the Chicago building at the London exhibition this summer.

FOR YOUR HEALTH'S SAKE

GERM KILLERS.

Sunshine and fresh air kill disease germs. This is why you should see to it that both these health giving agencies are not excluded from your homes.

Don't live or work in rooms that have no fresh air. Such rooms are dangerous. Always sleep with your window open in winter and summer. Don't be afraid of damp air. Don't be afraid of night air. They are not dangerous, but rooms that are kept closed are dangerous, because the poison of disease is in the air of such rooms. Let all the sunlight and fresh air that you can into your rooms. Sleep in the fresh air. Live only in the fresh air.

FOUR PLANT BEDS ARE SCRAPED AND DESTROYED

Night Riders Still Busy in Clarksville Neighborhood.

Clarksville, Tenn., May 25.—Four large plant beds on the farm of Richard Broadbuss, of Stewart county, were scraped and completely destroyed preventing the setting out of a tobacco crop this year.

Some of the tobacco raised last year was sold out of the association and several weeks ago Mr. Broadbuss received a letter telling him not to attempt to raise any tobacco crop this year.

The Moving Throng

Iley Lane is now spending a few days at Elkton.

Miss Janie Victory was in Madisonville Monday.

Robt. Ewing, of St. Charles, was in the city Sunday.

N. W. Melvin, of Henderson, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. W. N. Leahy, of Princeton, is visiting in the city.

W. S. McGary and wife were in Madisonville Monday.

Thos. N. Black, Providence, spent Wednesday in the city.

Chas. Bradley, of Madisonville, was in the city Monday.

W. N. Martin, of Madisonville, was in the city Monday.

Arch Martin made a business trip to Madisonville Monday.

Mrs. Lucien Armstrong visited relatives in St. Charles.

Mrs. Max Priest left yesterday to visit friends in Nashville.

Miss Lena Davis visited friends in the county seat Sunday.

R. M. Salmon and wife, of Hisey, were in the city Saturday.

Clint Raines and wife, of Bakers, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Harp Eblin, of Robards, visited Miss Willis Sunday.

E. L. Wise and wife made friends in Evansville a visit Friday.

J. V. McEuen has returned from a business trip to Louisville.

Mrs. J. M. Victory was in Madisonville Monday visiting friends.

P. C. Uzell, of Long Pond, was in the city on business Saturday.

Mrs. C. B. Johnson paid friends in Madisonville a visit Monday.

J. E. Fawcett and family, of Madisonville, visited here Sunday.

Mrs. M. Fletcher and son are spending this week in Dawson.

Mrs. Sirother Hancock visited relatives in Madisonville Monday.

Miss Anna Deal Brainwell left Tuesday for a visit to Michigan.

J. M. Johnson, who has been west for sometime, is now in the city.

Miss Eliza Robinson was in Madisonville Friday to visit relatives.

Miss Frances Riley made friends in Madisonville a visit Saturday.

Mrs. Newton Wilson spent Saturday with friends in Madisonville.

Miss Hattie Cordier spent Saturday in Madisonville with friends.

Mrs. C. H. McGary spent Saturday in Hopkinsville with friends.

Jno. Rogers and wife, of Knoxville, Tenn., are visiting in the city.

Miss Garnett Lindie visited her grandmother near Madisonville Sunday.

Mrs. Audy Howell and children visited friends in Madisonville Monday.

Miss Ida Bobbit, of Kellys, was the guest of Miss Nettie Martin last week.

L. L. Goodloe and Geo. Robinson made friends in Madisonville a visit Monday.

Miss Mary Vanarsdell spent Saturday in Madisonville with Mrs. W. P. Ross.

J. H. Corbitt was out on Greasy Creek making pictures of the forest Saturday.

Miss Clementine Newbold, of Louisville, is the guest of Mrs. J. B. Atkinson.

L. W. Browning, of Bowling Green, Fla., is visiting the family of O. P. Webb.

Miss Annie Moore and Mrs. W. R. Coyle were in Madisonville Friday with friends.

Miss Iuez Elgin, of Madisonville, was the guest of Miss Mabel Brown this week.

Roy Wilson and Miss Mary Ruby Morton, of Madisonville, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Victory and son, who have been visiting in Louisville, returned home Friday.

Dr. E. A. Davis and wife of Nashville, spent a few days last week with Dr. Davis and family.

Maj. Kimmell, Neal Spillman and Claude Brasher are spending this week on Pond River fishing.

Miller Evans, Roy Davis and Baker Fugate attended a dance in Madisonville Monday night.

Mrs. Jas. McKeough, of Trinidad, Colo., after a visit to Mrs. Stella M. Kemp, has gone to Atlanta to visit relatives.

Rev. W. C. Brandon, left Monday for Elkton. He is secretary of the Board of Managers of the V. T. S., which met there this week.

REFUSES TO ARBITRATE

SPREAD OF GEORGIA STRIKE IS THREATENED.

United States Commissioner of Labor, Charles P. Neill Calls on Strike Headquarters.

Atlanta, Ga., May 25.—Hope for settling the strike of firemen on the Georgia Railroad centers on the visit here of United States Commissioner of Labor Charles P. Neill, who is coming from Washington.

Governor Smith proposed arbitration by a commission of Georgians and the firemen accepted but the railroad did not. Manager Scott, of the Georgia railroad will be here to confer with Mr. Neill.

The danger that the strike if prolonged may spread to other railroads became serious when Vice President Earl of the Firemen's organization said diversion of the Georgia railroads freight business to other roads will cause the firemen of those roads to vote on whether or not they will accept diverted freight. It was reported here that about 10 cars of Georgia railroad had been diverted over other lines. Mails and passengers usually carried by the Georgia went by other roads and in a few instances automobile service was resorted to. Preparations are under way by postoffice authorities to establish an automobile mail service between Union Point and Athens, Ga.

A FUGITIVE FIVE YEARS

After Long Sojourn in Honduras Defauling Louisiana Sheriff Surrenders.

Shreveport, La., May 25.—Friends of John M. Perkins, former sheriff and tax collector of Calcasieu parish, arrested after a five-year sojourn in Honduras for shortage in his accounts, are endeavoring to secure his release on bond.

Perkins disappeared five years ago, and after his departure an investigation of his books showed an alleged shortage of \$70,000. His personal belongings were seized and his bond forfeited, wiping out \$50,000 of the shortage.

Perkins returned voluntarily and his coming was a surprise. He was arrested at the home of a relative. A \$12,000 bond has been guaranteed and it will be increased if the court demands a larger sum.

PLAN TO LYNCH A NEGRO

Unless Death Penalty is Inflicted on Murderer of Chorus Singer Lynching is Feared.

Des Moines, Ia., May 25.—The little town of Centerville is filled with excited people come to attend the trial of negro John Junken, the self-confessed slayer of beautiful Clara Rosen, an Ottumwa choir singer on the night of February 5 last. Junken crushed the girl's face with a stone and then assaulted her after having trailed her from her sisters' home to a lonely spot.

There is open talk of lynching and scouts from Ottumwa are in the town to make the necessary preparations to lynch Junken if the jury should fail to inflict the death penalty.

TACOMA WELCOMES JAPS

Officers of Three American Cruisers and Thousands of Citizens Greeted Visitors.

Tacoma, Wash., May 25.—Municipal officials, officers of the American Cruisers Tennessee, Washington and California and thousands of citizens extended a welcome to Admiral Ijichi and the Japanese warships Asao and Soya.

For more than an hour the commander of the Japanese cruiser talked with members of the reception committee who boarded his ship. He assured them of his hearty support in making "fleet week" the most memorable in the history of the city.

Many receptions have been planned for the visitors. There will be a big naval demonstration Thursday, the birthday of the empress of Japan.

OPERATION ON SELF FAILS

Physician Made Two Partially Successful Operations to Remove Growth in His Nose.

San Francisco, May 25.—Dr. Oscar N. Taylor, of Berkeley, is dead at the Lane hospital as the result of an operation for the removal of a growth in the nose, which he performed on himself recently.

He had operated twice before with partial success, but this time he hit the delicate chisel too hard a tap, causing it to pierce the base of the brain.

The doctor was an enthusiastic football player and had been appointed coach for the university of California for the coming season.

Gotch Defeats Olsen.

Omaha, Neb., May 25.—Frank Gotch world champion wrestler defeated Charles Olsen of St. Louis at the Auditorium in straight falls. The first fall went 21:40 and the second fifteen minutes flat. Olsen surprised the big wrestler several times, but was no match in size and strength for him.

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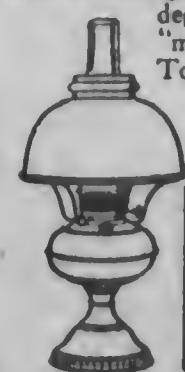
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LINCOLN STATUE WILL BE UNVEILED NEXT MONDAY

Has Arrived at Hodgenville—Big Crowd
Expected at Ceremony.

Hodgenville, Ky., May 25.—The Weinman statue of Abraham Lincoln, which has the unique description of being the only statue of the war President in the State of Kentucky, and which was provided by appropriations made by the legislature of the State of Kentucky and by the Congress of the United States, supplemented by a generous local and popular subscription, arrived at this place yesterday direct from the foundry at which it was cast, and is now on the site awaiting the arrival of the sculptor, Adolph A. Weinman, who will arrive from New York next Friday and will superintend in person the placing of the statue on the pedestal, which has been built for several days.

This beautiful work will be unveiled on next Monday, May 31, with appropriate ceremonies, which will be attended by an enormous crowd. The town of Hodgenville will be in readiness, and will give a generous welcome to all visitors.

U. D. C. Entertainment.

On Saturday night the moving picture show was turned over to the Earlington Chapter of the U. D. C. and an excellent program was carried out and proceeds will be used to purchase flowers and pay the expenses of the daughters tomorrow at the unveiling exercises. Those who took part in the program were Miss Winnie Davis Hart, who sang. Misses Dot Bean and Ruth Lamb, who recited and the Earlington Quartette sang several beautiful selections. Brent Hart and sister, Miss Sibyl, furnished splendid music for the evening.

Quite a neat sum was realized which goes to show that Earlington is always ready and willing to help the U. D. C. The Daughters desire to thank the public for their patronage.

YES, CHERRIES ARE RIPE.

First Car Load From California Sold at
New York For \$4,144.

San Francisco, May 20.—A dispatch from Sacramento says that the first car load of cherries shipped from this State this season was sold at New York yesterday for \$4,144. The car left Sacramento May 8 and arrived at New York in good condition.

BIG DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST NIGHT RIDERS.

Tennessean who was Brutally Beaten
Sues Fourteen Night Riders for Ten
Thousand Dollars.

Waverly, Tenn., May 23.—J. M. Reece filed a bill last night for \$10,000 damages against the fourteen masked men who entered his home on the night of October 15, 1908. He alleges that he was assaulted, dragged from his home while barefooted and made to walk a hundred yards over the hard stones, where he was tied to a tree and whipped with a hickory limb. The suit was brought out after the men were convicted of the whipping.

Dr. McCormick Candidate for Governor.
Bowling Green, Ky., May 24.—The Times-Journal, the leading Democratic paper of Bowling Green, is booming Dr. J. N. McCormack, of this city, for the Democratic nomination for Governor. Dr. McCormack's reputation is not only State-wide but national, as he is known as one of the foremost health officers of the country.

Attracting the Fish.
If the fish did not come soon enough in British Columbia the Indians used to employ a method which made an image of a swimming fish and put it in the water to attract live fish to the bait.

COLORED COLUMN.

S. R. DRIVER, EDITOR

Usual service at all the churches Sunday.

Prof. Bell was called to the bedside of his mother, who is very sick.

We are sorry to report the death of Gabe Langford, which occurred at 3 p. m. Saturday the 22 inst. Uncle Gabe as he was familiarly known had been a citizen here about ten years and will be greatly missed although on account of having received a paralytic stroke has been unable to get about yet he was always cheerful. He leaves a wife, and three sons, Wesley, of our city, Aaron, of Omaha, Neb., Henry, of Little Rock, Ark., also two daughters, Mrs. Martha Panky and Mrs. Amanda Meadows, of this city, beside seven grandchildren and a host of friends. Interred at the new cemetery, Rev. Evans officiating.

Mrs. Rebecca Ann McCann, who has been sick since December was called to her eternal home Sunday morning about 5 o'clock. She was 35 years of age had lived here two years. She held her membership in the Missionary Baptist church at Caseyville, also a member of Union Lock Lodge No. 8 Western Beantles of this city. The deceased leaves a husband and three sons. The sorrowing family accompanied the body to Caseyville for interment.

Ed Wilson, of Hopkinsville, visited here Sunday.

Gouley Vincent, of St. Louis, is visiting his daughter.

Mrs. Cora Epps, of Sebree, visited John Neely and wife Sunday.

Willie Coffee, of Danville, Ill., is visiting his mother.

Mrs. Lewis Johnson, of Carbondale is visiting her mother.

Reuban Slaughters and wife gave a delightful farewell entertainment Thursday night to Mrs. Sue Maddox who left Friday to join her husband at Taylorsville, Ill. a happy company was present and a delicious lunch served.

Rev. Blanks, of Henderson, has been elected to deliver the annual sermon to the U. B. F., S. M. T. and Juvenile at the Baptist church Sunday the 30 at 1:15 p. m.

James Turntide who has been quite sick for sometime, is improving.

Mrs. Coffee is very low.

S. F. Gill is quite sick.

Rev. H. Amos, who has been sick, is able to be out.

Mrs. David Gray is quite sick.

Mrs. Abe Osborne is reported sick.

Mrs. Calvin Johnson, who has been very sick, is able to be out.

The Annual Thanksgiving Service of the Good Samaritan Lodge will be held at the C. M. E. church, June 9th.

Dorsey Shepherd who has been been visiting his mother at Trenton has returned.

Mrs. Lou Swope, of Henderson, visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Clark made a flying trip to Hopkinsville Saturday.

Rev. J. Waters delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduates Sunday at the Baptist church.

The Lending Hand Embroidery Club will meet with Mrs. Gertrude Porter Friday June 4.

Mrs. Reuban Slaughter is suffering from acute indigestion.

Miss Inez Bailey and Robt. Clivils were married on May 19th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bailey. The wedding was unusual beautiful and interesting, and many friends and relatives were in attendance. They are both estimable young people and have the good wishes of the community. The young couple will reside at Hecla.

Card of Thanks.

I take this opportunity to thank my many friends who so kindly assisted me to pack and ship my household goods to Illinois. They shall ever be gratefully remembered by my husband and myself.

Mrs. Susie Maddox.

COMMON SCHOOL DIPLOMAS.

Several Pupils of Earlington Colored School Pass the County Board.

The following pupils of the Earlington Public School, under the able guidance of Prof. Bell and his assistants, have finished the eighth grade work and will be given common school diplomas at the commencement exercises next week. The entire seven named have taken the examination at Madisonville before the county examiners, for common school diplomas and they have achieved the grades in general average as shown by the figures opposite their names. All have made good grades and some excellent, as follows:

Laura Woodriddle, 92.5; Paulino Garrett, 89.7; Dorris Cavanah, 94; Deborah Couch, 91.2; Ora Lee, 89.3; Pernelia Murphey 80.8; Robert Wilson, 90.9.

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Kentucky Fair Dates.

Stanford, July 31—3 days.
Henderson, July 27—5 days.
Georgetown, July 27—5 days.
Madisonville, August 3—5 days.
Winchester, August 2—4 days.
Bluegrass Fair, Lexington, August 9—6 days.
Taylorsville, August 10—4 days.
Uniontown, August 10—5 days.
Harrodsburg, August 12—3 days.
Leitchfield, August 17—4 days.
Barbourville, August 18—3 days.
Brodhead, August 18—3 days.
Shepherdsville, August 18—3 days.
Ewing, August 18—3 days.
Shelbyville, August 24—3 days.
Elizabethtown, August 24—3 days.
Springfield, August 25—4 days.
London, August 25—4 days.
Florence, August 25—4 days.
Frankfort, August 31—3 days.
Hardinsburg, August 31—3 days.
Nicholasville, August 31—4 days.
Tompkinsville, September 1—5 days.
Fern Creek, September 1—5 days.
Bardstown, September 1—4 days.
Hodgenville, September 7—3 days.
Monticello, September 7—4 days.
Glasgow, September 8—4 days.
Kentucky State Fair, Louisville, September 13—6 days.
Scottsville, September 16—3 days.
Bedford, October 1—2 days.

FOR YOUR HEALTH'S SAKE

HOW CONTAGION IS SPREAD.

Health officials have found that more contagion is spread from children that are supposed to be well than from those who are known to be sick. In cases of scarlet fever and diphtheria this is often true. The patient may appear to be well, but the germs are still present and it is therefore dangerous for him to mingle with children that are really well.

Woman's Age

often does not agree with her appearance. Pain and suffering add to the years till many women look much older than they really are.

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They come in all the new delicate shades, Light Green, Helios, Grays, Ox Bloods, as well as Blacks, Tans and other staple colors.

It was a very sore disappointment to us that we did not have towels enough two Saturdays ago and napkins enough last Saturday to supply all our customers who came for them; but we had just the lot that was secured for us and no more. The sixty-one dozen towels were all gone by 9:30, and the fifty dozen napkins were gone by 8:30.

We have written our New York buyer when he finds any good merchandise under price that the quantity cannot be too large for us for our people know that when we advertise that we will offer something under value that it is so, that they pin their faith to our judgment and in fifteen years we have not deceived them.

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In life's small things be resolute
and great
To keep thy muscles trained; for
knowest thou
When Fate thy measure takes or
when she'll say,
"I find thee worthy; do this thing
for me?"

—Bishop Berkeley.

BAILEY FAILS TO FIX DATE OF VOTE

ATTITUDE OF PROGRESSIVE RE-
PUBLICANS WHO FAVOR IN-
COME TAX FOIL PLAN.

SENATE INSURGENTS OFFENDED

Republicans Who Are Supporting
Cummins Amendment Desire Con-
tinuance of the Coalition
With Democrats.

Washington, May 26.—Had it not been for the attitude of the progressive Republicans, who favor the adoption of an income tax amendment to the tariff bill, it is probable that Senator Bailey might have reached an agreement with members of the finance committee for a vote on his amendment on June 10th.

Offense was taken by some of the so-called insurgent Republicans because of the notice served by the Texas senator, that no general agreement could be obtained on any phase of the tariff bill, so long as Senator Alrich refused permission for the fixing of a time for a vote on Senator Bailey's income tax amendment. It was made clear at informal conferences that the Republicans who are supporting the Cummins amendment desire the continuance of the coalition with the Democrats, but that they did not want it at the expense of surrendering the control of the income tax fight to the Democrats.

Senator Cummins conveyed this view to Senator Bailey.

Before this action was taken, however, a conference was held by the Republican members of the finance committee relative to fixing a time for a vote on the income tax question and all other amendments to the tariff bill. In the opinion of the members of the committee, the work on schedules will be completed by June 10 and they could see no reason, therefore, for resisting the fixing of a time for a vote on the Bailey amendment beyond that time.

Senator Cummins said that he would offer his income tax amendment just as soon as consideration of schedules had been concluded. He will revise his amendment to meet the wishes of a number of Republicans. It will provide for a flat rate of two per cent on incomes, including corporations. A draw-back will be allowed to individuals stockholders of corporations equal to the sum paid on their stock by the corporation itself, when it can be shown by the individual that the total of his income is less than \$5,000 a year.

Mr. Bailey amendment provides for a tax of three per cent.

Mr. Cummins said that if the Bailey amendment is presented first that he will vote for it, although he does not believe that it would prove as satisfactory as his own.

He estimated that his amendment will produce about forty million a year in revenues.

Members of the finance committee are confident that they have sufficient votes to refer either the Cummins, or the Bailey amendment or both to the judiciary committee.

FATAL 4 CORNERED DUEL

Two Are Killed, One Fatally Injured
and a Bystander Is Shot
During Fight.

Charlotte, N. C., May 26.—Arthur and Andy Franklin were shot to death in Laurel township, a remote section of Madison county, in a four cornered duel in which the Franklins were arrayed against the Tweed brothers.

Robert Tweed and Arthur Franklin met at the store of Arthur Franklin and both opened fire. Andy Franklin endeavored to stop the fight, it is said, but Major Tweed interfered and both drawing pistols the fight became

general. Andy Franklin was instantly killed. Arthur Franklin died of his wounds and Major Tweed received a serious wound in the thigh. Beverly Stanton a bystander was shot in the thigh.

Three Roads to Use One Bridge.
Omaha, Neb., May 26.—Arrangements have been made between the Northern Pacific, the Union Pacific and the Great Northern roads, under which the Northern Pacific line between South Tacoma and Vancouver, Wash., and the bridge over the Columbia river will be used jointly by the three companies named.

Former Judge Weaver Dead.
Springfield, Ill., May 26.—Following the amputation of his right leg, former Judge Walter L. Weaver, aged 58 years, died here. Judge Weaver served as judge of the Choctaw-Chickasaw citizenship court in Indian Territory for several years being appointed by President Roosevelt in 1902.

Vanderbilt's Stolen Pearls Returned.
London, May 26.—The police have recovered valuable pearls which were stolen from Alfred Vanderbilt's residence in Park Lane, last April. It is alleged by a discharged valet. The valet was arrested.

FOR YOUR HEALTH'S SAKE

WINNING THE FIGHT.

The cause of consumption is well known. The manner in which it is transmitted is well understood. Methods of care and treatment are also well formulated and recognized by physicians and sanitarians generally. Statisticians have given us its history and told us about its terrible ravages and have demonstrated its cost in dollars and cents of the nation. The work of education and prevention must be carried on. It only remains for the people to insist that health bodies be supplied with funds and equipment to push the work which has been so promisingly begun.

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Most Earlington People Have a Weak
Part and Too Often It's The Back.

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This is poor economy, to say the least. In fact, it costs more, as a rule; that is, if you figure your health and earning capacity as having any monetary value.

The Spirit Realm

Material Evidence of Its Existence Small

By WILLIAM SLOANE KENNEDY.
Author and Translator of *Flammation and Lombroso.*



PSYCHIC research deserves immense respect. But it is to be feared that we must put up higher towers yet in order to obtain the real soul-marconigrams.

So far, it is evident that telepathy, secondary personality, the double lobe of the brain, the unsuspected mystery and richness of the universal mind-stuff and the deeper grasp on its powerful currents (perhaps radio-active or electric) by rare and abnormal personality suffice to explain nearly all the wonders of the seance, astounding as these are. The spiritualists have creaked their great muckle bird of spiritism out of the woe egg of psychic research. But their theory does not cut up so fat as it looks. And they often cheat. In dealing with them a man must keep an eye on his partner, as did the Irish gentleman who danced with the bear. But then, the existence of pinchebeck does not, of course, prove the nonexistence of gold. The real trouble is that the world which the spirits reveal is not worth having, and Prof. Huxley had good warrant for blistering them with the silk snapper of his wit.

Of two evils choose the third. Annihilation is bad, and spiritualism is bad; so some of us must stick to the time-honored resource of reserved judgment, and some cling to faith. As for me, I should certainly prefer "the delicious repose of Nirvana" to the dreary and trivial life revealed by the spiritualists' "spirits."

I have said there are things that stagger me. There are apparitions of the living and dying and the dead, and cases of clairvoyance, that telepathy and supernormal psychic power have not yet explained. The most amazing, and the latest, thing is the phantasmal projections, or materializations, of duplicate limbs and half or whole human bodies, seen by so many cool and cautious observers (Bottazzi, Crookes, Lombroso) slowly and weirdly emerging from, and reemerging in, the bodies of tranced psychics, such as Eusapia Palladino, who was chained down by Bottazzi, a few months ago, manacled in bonds, lead sealed to the floor of his laboratory, and yet performed her miracles just the same. "Phantasmal bodies," did I say?—nay, warm and breathing bodies of flesh and blood, temporary improvisations or duplicates of the medium, drawing their real-unreal life by deadly exhaustion from his or her substance.

I received from Prof. Lombroso, in manuscript, not long ago, an explanation of this marvel, which he has later apparently discarded. He suggested that as brain waves are proved to be transmitted (in telepathy), so they may be transformed—transformed into motor forces. I would add that what proves these dark phantasmal limbs that grope around the seance cabinet, like the fearsome tentacles of H. G. Wells' Martians, to be not spirit forms is the fact that complete phantasms of this kind invariably duplicate the mental and psychical characteristics of the mediums, or at any rate never show a higher or lower range of character. The truth is, that myriad-roomed microcosm, the brain, is an electro-psychic dynamo in close connection with the ocean of raw mind-stuff, which enters it at times with such energy as almost to rend it.

So, when all is said, we must still call these necromantic creations of psychic force and the subjective reality of apparitions but discoveries in supernormal psychology whereby the ghosts of Banquo and King Hamlet became sober facts of twentieth century science.

William Sloane Kennedy

Little Psychology Dangerous

By EMILY COLE.

Verily, a little psychology is a dangerous thing. Every woman does not know, but it behooves her to learn, that the most hazardous thing one can do to a perfectly good and altogether smooth-running love affair is to attempt to analyze it. It is well to remember that no sort of human affection, no sort of human love, and above all else no sort of sex love—and I care not how pure, how beautiful, how holy that sentiment is—can survive the scientific searchlight without becoming a shriveled, distorted and hideous thing. As the dissector's knife and scalpel may in a trice make

havoc of the beautiful Phryne herself; as the practical hand of the botanist in his quest for dry and arid knowledge, may pluck the delicately fashioned orchid to tatters—so may a man and woman by dissection destroy the fair form of love, and tear to tatters the "red, red rose" of passionate attachment.

It is clearly, then, the better part of a woman's wisdom, when in love, to give no encouragement to this pastime, only too often a favorite one with young lovers. For while a woman can perhaps psychologize herself and her love for a man, and his love for her, in all the degrees from boiling point down to that frigid temperature where liquid air is said to boil upon ice; and while she can do it with impunity as regards her own heart and her own unalterable passion—just as when she was a little girl she consistently disemboweled her doll to find it stuffed with sawdust, but loved it none the less for that—the same is not true of a man.

In other words, to put it briefly, to psychologize herself is not fatal to a woman in love; to psychologize himself is fatal to a man in love.

Life Chances of Men and Women

By PROF. G. MORTARA,
Italian Sociologist.

Physicians have within recent years made a closer investigation into the phenomena attending upon death than was ever before the case. It is no longer enough to base calculations on purely physiological facts, but in estimating the powers of the great leveller it is necessary to go deep into facts of a political, social and economic nature.

The variations of the curve of mortality are almost analogous in all countries when considered from the point of physiology. In all peoples we find the highest probability of death to exist in the first year of the infant's birth, the minimum probability being reached at the age of 13 in the case of males, and at 14 in the case of females. There is but a short period of "improbability," however, for, toward the age of 20, in the case of each sex, there appears again a rather high probability of death, which again decreases in the ratio of the previous cycle, down to the age of 50, when a high probability of death once more makes its appearance. In the case of women the probability of death is considerable around the age of 40.

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9:30 a. m. Vespers and benediction 7
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school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every
Lord's day at 10:45 a. m. and 7 p.
m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday
at 7:30 p. m.

M. E. CHURCH.—Regular services
third Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening
at 7:30. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.
Class meeting, second Sunday at
10:30 a. m. Rev. J. H. Embury, pastor.

Epworth League.—J. S. Hancock, president. Meets every Sunday evening at 6:45 p. m. at the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. All are welcome.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.—Rev. W. C. Brandon, pastor. Services on every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Epworth League, every Sunday evening at 6:45. Ladies' Aid Society every Monday afternoon. Official Board meeting Monday after first Sunday in each month.

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a. m. and 7:30 p. m. and the preceding
Saturday night. Church meeting
Saturday night before the 4th Sunday.
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Prayer meeting every Monday night
at 7:30. Rev. O. H. Grigson, Pastor.

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Services Saturday night before the
first Sunday in each month at 7:30
p. m., first Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30
p. m. Prayer meeting Friday evening
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at 7:30 p. m. and third Sunday at
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o'clock.

Advice from Ancient Sage.
A wise man should not refuse
kindness.—Herodotus.

No Place for a Picnic.
A Siamese jungle is described as a
forest of fish hooks and knives laced
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No. 93..... 11.27 a. m.
No. 94..... 6.57 p. m.
No. 95..... 11.27 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 96..... 4.36 a. m.
No. 97..... 8.38 a. m.
No. 98..... 4.26 p. m.
No. 99..... 10.53 p. m.

INTERURBAN TRAINS.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 101..... 8.39 a. m.
No. 102..... 11.01 a. m.
No. 103..... 2.03 p. m.
No. 104..... 5.01 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 105..... 7.50 a. m.
No. 106..... 10.09 a. m.
No. 107..... 12.07 p. m.
No. 108..... 3.20 p. m.
No. 109..... 7.25 p. m.

I. C. R. TIME CARD.

Time of departure of Illinois Central trains from Northville, Ky.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 102..... 1.28 p. m.
No. 104..... 3.34 a. m.
No. 122, local pass..... 10.55 a. m.
No. 136, local..... 1.28 p. m.

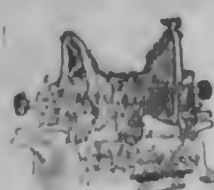
SOUTH BOUND.

No. 101..... 4.36 p. m.
No. 103..... 1.48 a. m.
No. 131, local pass..... 1.28 p. m.
No. 135, local fr't..... 8.40 a. m.

New Oliver No. 5

Sets Swiftest Pace Ever

Known in Typewriter Selling.



The wonderful new model Oliver No. 5, has taken the market by storm.

Its reception by the public has exceeded the most sanguine anticipations.

Employers and stenographers alike have welcomed it as the one machine that answers the multiplied need of the hour.

The cry is for Speed! Speed!—and the Oliver responds.

The demand for Durability is filled by the sturdy, steel-clad Oliver. To call for a writing machine that will do many things and do each of them equally well, the Oliver answers with its unexampled versatility.

—Its visible writing saves the strain on eye and brain.

—Its legibility lends beauty to its work. The letters that bear the Oliver imprint are the letters that seen to speak.

Oliver No. 5 fairly bristles with now and exclusive time-and-saving features. We have space to mention only a few of the more important ones.

—Disappearing Indicator shows exact printing point.

—Balance Shifting Mechanism saves operative effort.

—Line Ruling Device is fine for tabulated work.

—Double Release doubles convenience.

—Non-Vibrating Base insures stability. Yet with all of those added improvements, we have still further simplified the Oliver by fusing brains with metal.

Oliver No. 5 is a dream come true—the dream of Thomas Oliver crying: "I have found this wonderful mechanism of shining steel that embodies every possible requirement of a perfect writing machine."

Ask the nearest Oliver agent for a Free Demonstration of Oliver No. 5. Or send for The Oliver Book—yours for a postal.

The Oliver Typewriter Company, The Oliver Typewriter Building, Chicago, Ill.

Try our Job Work.

Rheumatism

I have found a tried and tested cure for Rheumatism. Not a remedy that will straighten the distorted limbs of chronic cripples, nor turn bent growths back to flesh again. This is impossible, but I can now surely kill the pains and remove this terrible disease.

In Germany—with a Chemist in the City of Darmstadt—I found the last ingredient with which Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy was made a perfect, dependable prescription. Without that last ingredient, I successfully treated many, many cases of Rheumatism; but now, at last, I can cure all curable cases of this horrible, much dreaded disease. These and like granular wastes, found in Rheumatic blood, seem to dissolve and pass away under the action of this remedy as freely as does sugar when added to pure water. And then, when dissolved, these poisonous wastes freely pass from the system, and the cause of Rheumatism is gone forever. There is now no real need—no actual excuse to suffer longer without help. We sell, and in confidence recommend

Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS

WITH Dr. King's New Discovery

FOR COUGHS AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES.

GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.

Absent-Minded Alderman.

A Lynn (Mass.) alderman at a recent aldermanic meeting inquired what had become of an order he had introduced some time before calling for an arc light on Willow street. The city clerk, after digging into his files, informed him that the order had come before the board nearly a month previous and that he had voted against it.

Was Wasting Away.

"I had been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years," writes Robert R. Waits, of Salem, Mo. "I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." During the summer kidney irregularity is often caused by excessive drinking or being over heated. Attend to the kidneys at once by using Foley's Kidney cure. Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store, Incorporated.

Show Advance of Progress.

One hundred years ago it was considered a wonderful achievement for ten men to manufacture 48,000 pins in a day. Now three men make 7,600,000 pins in the same time.

If You Don't

succeed the first time use Herbine and you will get instant relief. The greatest liver regulator. A positive cure for constipation, dyspepsia, malaria, chills and all liver complaints. Mr. C., of Emory Texas, writes: "My wife has been using Herbine for herself and children for five years. It is a sure cure for constipation and malaria fever, which is substantiated by what it has done for my family." Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

Advice.

Enough good advice is given every day to make a heaven of earth and to forever remove the blight of failure from human endeavor.

A Religious Author's Statement.

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several religious books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was afflicted with a severe pain in kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. I had to get up several times during the night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased. The irregularities disappeared and I can cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy." Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store, Incorporated.

True to Principle.

"I believe in making the little things count," remarked the kindergarten teacher as she called up the class in arithmetic.

Best For Women and Children.

On account of its mild action and pleasant taste Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup is especially recommended for women and children. It does not nauseate or gripe like pills and ordinary cathartics. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels without irritating them. Remember the name Orino and refuse substitutes. Sold by St. Bernard drug store, Incorporated.

Dream Superstition.

To dream you hear horses neigh, augurs that you will have new and powerful friends, who will do you much service.

Stop Grumbling

If you suffer from Rheumatism or pains, for Ballards Snow Liniment will bring quick relief. It is a sure cure for Sprains, Rheumatism, Contracted Muscles and all pains—and within the reach of all. Price 25c, 50c, \$1. C. R. Smith, Tenaha, Tex., writes: I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for years and have found it a fine remedy for all pains and aches. I recommend it for pains in the chest. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

Must Keep Hands in Sight.

Every visitor to the White House must keep his hands in sight—during public receptions.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Work of Humorous Mason.

In Lichfield (Eng.) cathedral the central pillar of the chapter-house and the clustered shafts and vaulting ribs which spread from it are very fine specimens of early English work. One of the pillars contains the quaint design of a cat with a mouse in its mouth. It is supposed to have been executed in a humorous spirit by one of the masons, who, so far as the stone permitted, made it quite realistic.

Time's Changes.

When the "old schoolboys" studied geography they were familiar with a blank space on the map known as the Great American Desert, a hopeless region. Now the heat apples in the United States are raised there.

Do You Love

your baby? You wonder why he cries. Buy a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge and he will never cry. Most babies have worms, and the mothers don't know it. White's Cream of Vermifuge rids the child of worms and cleans out its system in a pleasant way. Every mother should keep a bottle of this medicine in the house. With it fear need never enter her mind. Price 25c. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

Feminine Lack of Logic.

Tell a wife that men are selfish, she will readily acquiesce. But tell that same woman that by spoiling her boys—whether in the nursery or at school, or university—she is sowing the seeds of egotism, she will give as, emphatic denial.—Exchange.

War Against Consumption.

All nations are endeavoring to check the ranges of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it. Sold by St. Bernard drug store, Incorporated.

Pretty Nearly Correct.

Andreas Pellisart, who said he lived somewhere in Mulberry street, was arraigned in the New York children's court charged with playing ball on the street. "Don't you know it's 'Yes, sir,' sohed Andreas. 'Don't you know that you are likely to hurt somebody? The streets don't belong to you. Now tell me, son, to whom do the streets belong?' 'De automobiles,' answered the culprit. 'Discharged,' said the judge.

Many weak, run down women have been restored to health by Foley's Kidney Remedy after the so-called 'female remedies' had failed to help them. Foley's Kidney Remedy stimulates the kidneys and bladder so they will eliminate the impurities from the blood that depress the nerves, causing nervous exhaustion and other ailments. Miss Carrie Harden, Bowling Green, Ky., writes: "I suffered much pain from kidney and bladder trouble until I started to use Foley's Kidney Remedy. The first bottle gave me relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely well." Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store, Incorporated.

Make Persuasion Do Work of Fear.

Yet hold it more humane, more heavenly, first, by winning words to conquer willing hearts, and make persuasion do the work of fear.—John Milton.

Cheerfully Recommended for Rheumatism.

"O. G. Hixbee, Danville, Ill., writes Dec. 2, 1900: 'About two years ago I was laid up for four months with rheumatism. I tried Ballard's Snow Liniment; one bottle cured me. I can cheerfully recommend it to all suffering from like affliction. 25c, 50c and \$1.' Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

New Yorkers Eat Many Eggs.

According to the market records the consumption of eggs in New York city annually is 632 for each inhabitant.

There is danger of a spring cold developing into chronic bronchitis, pneumonia or consumption. To avoid serious results take Foley's Honey and Tar as it will cure your cough and expel the cold from your system. You can not afford to take chances on your cold undermining your health. Refuse substitutes. Sold by St. Bernard drug store, Incorporated.

Won't Slight a Good Friend.

"If ever I need a cough medicine again I know what to get," declares Mrs. A. L. Alley, of Beale, Me., "for after using ten bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, and seeing its excellent results in my convalesced it is the best medicine made for coughs, colds and lung trouble." Every one who tries it feels just that way. Relief is felt at once and its quick cure surprises you. For bronchitis, Asthma, hemorrhage, croup, la grippe, sore throat, pain in chest or lungs its supreme. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all leading druggists.

No Will and No Way.

Folks as have no mind to be o' use have always the luck to be out o' the road when there's anything to be done.—George Elliot.

Lived 152 Years.

Wm. Parr—England's oldest man—married the third time at 120, worked in the fields till 132 and lived 20 years longer. People should be youthful at 80. James Wright, of Spurlock, Ky., shows how to remain young. "I feel just like a 16-year-old boy," he writes, "after taking six bottles of Electric Bitters. For thirty years kidney trouble made life a burden, but the first bottle of this wonderful medicine convinced me I had found the greatest cure on earth." They're a godsend to weak, sickly rundown or old people. Try them. Only 50c. at all leading druggists.

A CASE OF CHEESE LOVE.

In a delicatessen store one night, when everything was still, Two cheeses lingered, side by side, upon the window sill. He had no arms to hug her with, nor had he lips to kiss, Yet these two cheeses nestled in a state of cheesy bliss.

A freckled thorgonzola, with hair of molky hue, With dimples where the rats had been; her hind was baby blue. Young Edam was a healthy chap, his cheeks were fat and red, Survivor from the cheese mart where his ancestors had bled.

Said he: "I'm 'strong' for you, my dear, I don't suppose you care, I know you're 'strong' for someone, for your fragrance fills the air. I think you're sweet enough to eat—" The rest is untold yet. For someone came into the store and both of them "was at." —George W. Sutton, Jr., in Puck.

INSOMNIA.



Stage Manager—The girl who plays the Sleeping Beauty can't go on to-night.

Manager—Great heavens! Why not? Stage Manager—She just into a Welsh rarebit and can't get to sleep.

The Modern Version.

Old Mother Hubbard, She went to the cupboard, To get her poor dog a crust; But when she got there, She found, I declare, The cupboard controlled by a Trust. —Judge.

Strength.

Host (to belated guest)—I want to introduce you to Col. Hankthunder as soon as I can catch his eye; but you'll have to talk in a loud tone of voice. He's very deaf.

Belated Guest—Whee! He's got a mug on him that would stop a clock!

Col. Hankthunder (suddenly turning)—What's that, sir?

Host—Er—colonel, I want you to know Mr. Sipes. He was just remarking to me "What a strong face the colonel has."—Chicago Tribune.

It Would.

"I have a riddle for you," giggled Miss Passay. "If ten men proposed to me, what would that be?" "What?" asked Miss Young.

"A tender."

"Yes, and if one should propose to you, it would be a wonder."—Cleveland Leader.

Her Preference.

"And how," asked the rich young man from Pittsburgh, "would you like your cocktail—pretty dry, eh?"

"Dry?" replied the lady who was having her introduction to high life, "why, no, I'll take it wet, if you please. I'm terribly thirsty."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Financial Genius.

"Pa, will you please tell me what a financial genius is?"

"A financial genius, my child, is a man who can spend money that he has never had and which the people who think they are getting it will never see."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Doubtful Compliment.

Critic—I overheard a compliment at the art exhibition on that painting of yours, entitled "A Decayed Forest."

DeAuer—Indeed!

Critic—Yes, A stranger, after looking it over carefully, remarked that it was rotten.

Two Gents.

First Hotel Waiter—That 'ere young squirt at table C is a gent all through. He giv me half a dollar.

Second Hotel Waiter—He ain't half the gent as that 'ere half-headed fat porker at table B. He gave me a dollar.—New York Weekly.

Both Punished.

"Pop."

"Yes, my son."

"In olden times a woman who was a common scold was punished, wasn't she?"

"Yes, my boy. So was the man she married."—Yonkers Statesman.

Dear! Dear!

The Mother—Kitty, did you get those eggs I sent you after?

The Little Girl (handing back the coin)—No, mamma. The man said I'd have to take a whole one; he wouldn't cut an egg in two for nobody.—Chicago Tribune.

A Good Thing for Her.

Edna—It's a good thing for me that silence gives consent.

Amelia—Why?

Edna—Last night when George asked me to be his wife I lost my voice.—Judge.

The Royal Joke.

"Who waits without?" asked His Nibs.

"A creditor with a bill, your majesty."

"Tell him to go without."—Cleveland Leader.

The True Spirit.

Are you willing to forget what you have done for other people, and to remember what other people have done for you? Then you can keep Christmas.—Henry Van Dyke.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, cause chronic constipation. Doan's Regula operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation. 25c. Ask your druggists for them.

A Needed Improvement.

A woman wants a divorce because her husband made her walk to meals. Those dirigible balloons now advertised here are not coming any too soon. —N. Y. Herald.

The New Pure Food and Drug Law.

"We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung trouble is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults." Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store, Incorporated.

Form of Love-Making Barred.

Love-making on postal cards is in violation of the postal regulations of Russia.

Smashes all Records.

As an all-round laxative tonic and health-builder no other pills can compare with Dr. King's New Life Pills. They tone and regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood, strengthen the nerves; cure constipation, dyspepsia, biliousness, jaundice, headache, chills and malaria. Try them. 25c. at all leading druggists.

Liberty and Morality.

Liberty cannot be established without morality, nor morality without faith.—Greeley.

Accidents will happen, but the best regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the hurt.

Immensity of the Pacific.

The area of the Pacific ocean is about the same as the earth's land area—i. e., 55,000,000 square miles.

Less Cotton Grown in India.

Decrease in the area devoted in India to cotton culture is shown by the fact that there are 17,333,000 acres under cotton, as compared with 17,710,000 acres a year ago and 19,732,000 acres the year before that.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it cleanses the system and purifies the blood and blotches soon disappear. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by restoring the natural action of the bowels and you do not have to take medicine constantly.

Sold by St. Bernard drug store, Incorporated.

Handle Many Turkeys.

During the time beginning with Thanksgiving day and ending with New Year's day New York city handles one-twelfth of all the turkeys consumed in the United States.

Kills to Stop the Fiend.

The worst foe for 12 years of John Deye, of Gladwin, Mich., was a running ulcer. He paid doctors over \$400 without benefit. Then Bucklen's Arnica salve killed the ulcer and cured him. Cures fever-sores, boils, felonies, eczema, salt rheum. Infallible of piles, burns, scalds, cuts, corns. 25c at all leading druggists.

Improved Hedge Trimmer.

A hedge trimmer, operated on the principle of a barber's clippers, has been patented by a resident of Oregon.

"Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently."—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala.

Character Easily Determined.

Tell me with whom thou art fond, and I will tell thee who thou art.—Goethe.

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well.

A Sign.

When a woman says she "has her suspicions" it is a sign that she is willing to share them with other people.

USE ST. BERNARD COAL.

Mined in Hopkins County, Kentucky, the largest coal producing county in the State. This Company operates

Eight Large Mines.

and produces about one-sixth of all the coal mined in all Kentucky.

Best Coal for Steam and Domestic Purposes.

St. Bernard No. 9 Coal has come to be recognized, through years of satisfactory use, as the standard grade both for steam and domestic purposes, in the large territory reached by our products. Another point in favor of our coal is the fact that we have established an unimpeachable record for

Prompt Service the Year Around.

Our mines are operated more days in the year than any mines in Kentucky and with an enormous output as command we are able to give the promptest and most satisfactory service.

St. Bernard Coke

is also a superior fuel and is extensively used in base burners and heating furnaces for residences or any other building that needs to

RIVERVIEW EXPOSITION.

Chicago's Greatest Amusement Enterprise Completed at a Cost of \$5,000,000.

None of Chicago's other marvelous achievements equal the great amusement enterprise it has just launched, RIVERVIEW EXPOSITION.

This exposition surpasses everything of its character since the original World's Fair. Five million dollars was expended to make it a crowning gem in Chicago's coronal of beautiful parks. Last season 7,500,000 persons visited the exposition. This year it will accommodate 10,000,000. A trip to Chicago would be incomplete without a visit there.

RIVERVIEW EXPOSITION surpasses Chicago's ancient Circus Maximus where 5,000 dancers entertained Rome. Five thousand dancers could be lost in any one of its courts, esplanades, esplanades or woods as grass. That many show girls, trick riders, Indians and cowboys are used in its "Frontier Day Fete" alone.

Twice as many are accommodated in the amphitheater, where Mexican bull fights occur. Wild bulls and daring "toreros" daily enact thrilling contests for life and death. A Spanish band of 100 pieces discourses national music. Many military bands render open air concerts. The industrial exhibit includes wireless telegraphy, flying machines, dirigible balloons, aeroplanes and other mechanical marvels.



RIVERVIEW EXPOSITION'S matchless attraction is "The Creation." This stupendous scenic spectacle, animated by Biblical characters of the garden of Eden, is destined to attract world-wide attention. It is the product of the genius of E. W. McConnell, builder of several world fairs, and his staff of a hundred artists.

The scene is the Valley of the Euphrates, where tradition locates Eden. Awe-struck spectators view as near to its reproduction as man may conceive. The great religious drama closely follows the Scripture.

"There is first a void, then darkness, dawn and light; separation of the sky, the earth and the waters; the beginning of life in the air and the waters, birds and fishes, creeping and crawling things, celestial anthems of unseen spirit bands; the creation of Adam and Eve, their temptation, transgression and expulsion by Angel Gabriel, who drives them forth with a flaming sword."

A great 25,000 pipe organ intones appropriate music. Its deep tones produce thunder, and its flute-like notes the mimicry of forest small life. Flashes of lightning and angry storms are made by electrical and water effects. Space forbids an adequate description of this magnificent spectacle.

Another great novelty is "The Races," an English panorama. Fifty horses, attached to chaises raise over the highway to Coventry.



RIVERVIEW EXPOSITION'S "Court of Honor" has never been equaled since the Ancient Hanging Gardens of Babylon. Its center is a lagoon of crystal water, through which flash myriads of silver and gold fish. The limpid edges are fringed with emerald lawn set in rows of stately Lombardy poplars. Cascade fountains play prismatic sprays high overhead and cooling mists float downward into the lagoon. Fantastic facades and white pavilions gleam through the trees as a marble setting for the beautiful landscape.

"Over Niagara Falls" reproduces on a mammoth scale the famous waterfalls.

The inspiring strains of great bands, softer tones of orchestras, sounds of merriment from joyous throngs, sunlit waters and forestry, ray show-places, the whirl of aerial cars and flying machines, whistles of miniature railroads, vocalization of the animals of "Circle Ranch," chanting Indians, the familiar "rooting" enthusiasts in the baseball park, the silent onward movement of the river that courses through the grassy park, and millions of activities that impart pleasure, mystery and delight, make RIVERVIEW EXPOSITION a place of magic, the like of which the world has never seen.

FOR YOUR HEALTH'S SAKE

FRESH AIR FOR THE SICK.

Nothing is more common than fresh air. It is all pervading and provided by nature. It is free to all who will take it. We all need it and all have to have it. The sick need it more than the well, and yet there are those who think the windows in the sickroom must be kept closed. As a matter of fact, the one best thing we can do for the sick is to see to it that they have an abundance of fresh air all the time.

NOTICE POULTRY RAISERS

Now is the time of year to feed your fowls a good tonic. R4-11-44 cures Cholera, Roup, Gapes, Canker and Limberneck. When fed as a preventive it not only keeps them healthy but makes them lay.

Price 50 cents, no cure, no pay. Guaranteed by your druggists, St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, Earlington, and Gardiner & Bowmer, Incorporated, Madisonville. Ask for booklet on diseases of poultry.

FOR YOUR HEALTH'S SAKE

SELF-PRESERVATION.

Under the law of self-preservation we owe it to ourselves to take an active part in the fight that is being waged by intelligence against ignorance, by sense and sanitation against dirt and disease, and in every way aid and assist those who by law are charged with the responsible work of preventing the spread of disease in our own community or its introduction from outside sources.

FOUR CHILDREN PERISH

SERIOUS PANIC IN PLAY HOUSE IS AVERTED.

During Commencement Exercises One Girl Dropped Her Lamp and Ignited Her Dress.

Central City, Ky., May 26.—Four children who were burned during the commencement exercises here last night of Mrs. Boyd's school died Tuesday. They are:

Selma Clay, aged 5; Dorothy Clay, 8 years; Nell McGeary, 5 years; Louis Marshall, 8 years.

Rena May Miller, aged 5 years, may recover.

Business has suspended in this little mining city as a result of the tragedies.

Applause following a drill proved too much for Dorothy Clay who dropped her lamp and ignited her dress, and those of other children on the stage.

The house was in darkness and a panic was averted only by men who threw their coats about the screaming children.

Mrs. M. C. Boyd, a music teacher, whose pupil the children were, may lose her mind from the pain of her burns and her grief.

P. R. URGES CITIZENSHIP

Delegation of Island Republicans at Washington to Push Plank of Last National Platform.

Washington, May 26.—A committee of Porto Ricans has come to Washington, representing the Republican party of Porto Rico, to urge that the United States government grant citizenship to the islanders. It is their intention to see President Taft and enlist his sympathies, if possible, as well as those of various senators and representatives and to get congress to take up the Porto Rican citizenship plank contained in the last Republican national platform.

As soon as President Taft's recent message on Porto Rico reached the island by cable in fragmentary form, the Republicans named a committee to come to Washington.

TRAIN HOLD-UP IS FOILED

Telegraph Operator Overhears Supposed Plot and Sheriff's Posse Is Put Aboard.

Grand Junction, Colo., May 26.—An attempt hold-up of Denver & Rio Grande passenger train No. 4, from Ogden to Denver was probably prevented by the action of the telegraph operator at Thompson, Utah. Overhearing a conversation by two men regarding gold shipments from Nevada, usually sent to the Denver mint on No. 4, the operator telegraphed to Helper, Utah, where a sheriff's posse boarded the train.

Train No. 4, was run through Thompson without stopping but guards on train No. 8 which followed exchanged shots with a supposed tramp at that place.

Vice President and Party Have Outing

Harpers Ferry, W. Va., May 26.—Vice President Sherman and a party including Speaker Cannon, the members of the inaugural committee, government officials and a delegation from the Grid Iron club arrived here from Washington. They will spend several days as the guests of E. J. Stettinwagen, chairman of the Taft inaugural committee.

Governor Telephones Pardon.

Topeka, Kan., May 26.—Governor Stubbs sent a pardon by long-distance telephone to John Hays, thought to be dying at Pittsburg, Kan., from a mine accident. Hays had been paroled from the penitentiary by former Governor Hoch, but had his friends ask for a pardon, that he might die a free man. He was convicted of robbery.

Condemn Present Immigration Laws.

Columbus, O., May 26.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen passed resolutions condemning the present immigration laws and calling on the president and congress to immediately pass suitable ones which will exclude from the United States, the illiterate sweat shop and other undesirable classes.

Two Perish in Kerosene Fire.

Beaver City, Neb., May 26.—As a result of using kerosene with which to start a fire, Mrs. Alfred Kenedy was burned to death here. Her husband, who tried to rescue her, received such severe burns that he died later. The couple have been married only a short time.

Fond du Lac Entertains Doctors.

Fond du Lac, Wis., May 26.—The Homeopathic Medical society of Wisconsin is holding its forty-fifth annual meeting here, the headquarters being at the Palmer house. Physicians from all parts of this and adjoining states are in attendance.

Weather Forecast.

Indiana—Showers Wednesday and probably Thursday; brisk east winds. Illinois—Showers Wednesday; Thursday partly cloudy; brisk east to northeast winds. Missouri—Fair in west, showers in east portions Wednesday; Thursday fair.



STANDARD SILENT AT ROGERS' RITE

THROUGHOUT THE WORLD BIG TRUST STOPS WORK IN HIS HONOR.

EULOGIZED BY PASTOR FRIEND

Simple Rites of Unitarian Church Were Followed in Accordance With the Wishes of Mr. Rogers.

New York, May 22.—Every unit of the industrial and commercial machinery of the Standard Oil Co. throughout the world halted in reverence while eulogies were being spoken and the last rites pronounced in the Church of the Messiah over the body of Henry H. Rogers, master of a half hundred millions.

Rarely in the history of a commonwealth have so many men prominent in the big affairs of every walk of life assembled at the obsequies of a departed friend.

While the 50,000 employees of the gigantic oil corporation in every quarter of the globe paused with bared heads, Rev. Robert Collier, pastor of the church and lifelong friend of the departed man, uttered his eulogy in a voice choked with emotion.

"As the years roll by," he said, "sweeter and sweeter will grow the memory of Henry H. Rogers. It has been given to but few men to know the many, many kind and good things our friend has done in his modest, quiet way. There is no time for a sermon, and I can but speak of a few of the deeds inspired by his great, tender heart."

No less tenderly Rev. John Haines Holmes spoke of the departed member of his congregation. Choosing his text from the twenty-third Psalm, the associate pastor gave words of comfort to the bereaved family.

The coffin was escorted from the home to the church by 16 pallbearers, and when the cortege arrived every available seat was filled and the respectful crowd outside testified to the sympathy of the city.

The pallbearers were Rogers' intimate friends and associates—Wm. Rockefeller, John D. Archbold, E. T. Bedford, James A. Moffett, Samuel L. Clemens, E. H. Harriman, Raymond Dupuy, Elbert H. Gary, Melville E. Stone, John D. Ryan, James M. Beck, Charles A. Peabody, Dr. C. C. Rice, George W. Perkins, Col. A. G. Payson and Gen. James Gordon.

In accordance with the wishes of Mr. Rogers, the services followed the simple rites of the Unitarian church. The floral offerings, consisting principally of American Beauty roses and lilies of the valley, were banded in exquisite profusion across the chancel to the height of 20 feet.

Among those who attended the funeral in a body were the intimates of Mr. Rogers in the Lotus club, the department heads from the general offices of the Standard Oil Co. and other financiers who have been identified with him.

After the funeral, which began at 10 o'clock, the family and about 25 friends accompanied the body to the Grand Central station, whence the funeral party proceeded to the ancestral home at Fairhaven, Mass., where the body will lie in state until the interment.

Lawyer Shoots Widow.

Lincoln, Ohio, May 21.—Mrs. Maude Diltz, a young widow, was shot by John Beam, a well known lawyer. The cause of the murder is believed to have been jealousy.

EXTREME STYLES.

FOR YOUR HEALTH'S SAKE

CARE OF THE EXTREMITIES.

Medical men tell us that thousands of people die every year for no other reason than they neglected to take proper care of their arms, lower limbs and feet.

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Exaggeration.

The century is young; the world also young, as worlds go; and our country compared with many, is very young. Exaggeration is one of the faults to which youth is peculiarly subject—and from which age is not wholly free. To be an artist—in words, in color, with the chisel, on the stage, or in whatever medium—and not to exaggerate, sometimes and to some extent, might fairly be considered an impossibility.—Chicago Dial.

The Well-Dressed Man.

The recipe for being well dressed is to go to a good tailor, get really good clothes, pay a really good price for them, and let them be perfectly unostentatious and unremarkable in every way.—Gentleman.

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Lion Hunting in the Molopo Country

By Percy Selous

Wherever guns are made and sold and game is hunted for the sake of the sport of it the name of Selous is familiar. The stories of his achievements circle the globe and tens of thousands of lesser hunters feel honored to have hunted with him on occasion or to have crossed his track or followed his trail. A confirmed nomad, a soldier of the chase by irresistible predilection, he has spent his life hunting, trapping and traveling, sometimes in the Canadian woods, sometimes in the forests of the Andes, sometimes in the passes of the Central Asian mountains, sometimes in the northern ice, sometimes in the African jungle, and the story of his hunting experiences is a romance of fact and adventure. A member of this famous family of hunters is accompanying Theodore Roosevelt into the jungles of East Africa.

WE HAD had very little sleep all night, owing to the prowling around and roaring of lions, attracted by the offal of a giraffe which I had shot the previous afternoon, and had had dragged bodily up to the wagon. The night was, however, so dark that I could not get a view, and, although I once thought I could make out the form of a lioness in the gloom, I concluded it was not best to fire, as, in the event of my only wounding her, she would have had much in her favor should she have attacked us in such darkness. I was not sorry when day broke, for the oxen and horses were very uneasy; but the akerm was good, having been strengthened a couple of days before, not that a lion, having once made up his mind to attack, would be kept out by such means. However, nothing occurred further than the roaring and, after a hurried breakfast of coffee and giraffe steak, I and Bob, one of the black boys, took up the spoor of the lion, which was plain enough about and around the camp.

All we had left of the giraffe was represented by a few splinters of bones which the hyenas had polished after the lion had gorged himself. For some distance along the river bank the country was pretty well wooded, whilst away to the north stretched the Kalahari, dotted here and there with scant timber clumps, but otherwise a vast sea of sand. I did not take my horse, as he was a bit stiff from the tumble of the day before; he had also somewhat renewed his lameness, which was scarcely to be wondered at, considering the country I had been galloping him over. The lion had made direct for a thick patch of thorns and had evidently laid up there. I had no dog. My last had been so injured by a Koo-doo bull, which had literally disembowelled him, that I had been compelled to shoot him. This was a greater loss to me than I can express, for a good terrier is simply invaluable.

On the Track of a Lioness.

The brush was so thick that it was next to impossible to get through it, and therefore, as it was clear around, and there was no fear of making a confession, I set fire to it as the best apparent means of ousting our game. Telling Bob, my Kafir driver, to keep close behind me, I went a little further round the cover and was just in time to see a lioness break away, but so far off that I did not fire, preferring to let her go, in hopes of getting a more favorable chance for a shot. By this time the blaze had got so powerful that we, too, were glad to get away from it; 140 degrees, or thereabouts, was sufficient of itself as a temperature, without additional warmth.

The lioness made straight for another bit of brush, whither we went after her, and, though the thorns were quite thick enough, I decided to follow her in. My boy did not relish accompanying me, nor could I exactly blame him; for, though a fair hunter and a brave enough lad in ordinary, he did not like lions, his father having been killed and his brother badly mauled by one. It was rather difficult keeping her spoor, but after some trouble and considerable wear and tear, I espied her lying on a bare spot, watching me intently. Her head was resting between her paws and, as quickly as possible, I fired between her eyes, and could have sworn I planted the bullet there, for she was not above thirty paces from me. Turning to take my spare carbine from Bob, I found that he had vanished. But the lioness never stirred, and I was hurriedly reloading when she suddenly jumped up and dashed further into the thicket.

Unparliamentary language relieves the feelings, if nothing more; so, after having anathematized poor Bob, I once

more plunged after the lioness, wondering how our next meeting would come off. There was plenty of blood, just where her head had lain, and also enough to guide me easily on the tracks she had taken. Indeed, before I was aware of it, I was almost on top of her. Stepping steadily back—she lay directly from me—I drew another bead between her ears at the base of her skull, and let fly. This time there could be no doubt as to its being effective, for, as I stood, I could see where the bullet bored right into her brain. The lioness never so much as moved, so I stepped up and examined her. My first bullet had struck her too low beneath the eyes to reach her brain. It had torn through the cartilage of the nose and down her throat, momentarily stunning and so stupefying her that her last rush was a random one; but she was dead, to all intents and purposes, and doubtless was not in heed of my second ball. Her skin was simply of no value, and could only have been an eyesore, so I did not bother to take it off, only keeping her skull, and returned to the wagon to rate my headless driver soundly.

Awakened by the Roar of a Lion.

My theory was that a lioness would probably not be altogether solitary, as is sometimes the case with animals of the male sex. Acting on this hypothesis, I determined to cast around and see if I could not make out further signs of lions. I did not need meat. There was plenty for some time, and the additional excitement attached to

will go farther before it succumbs. Of the tiger I cannot speak, but the leopard and the jaguar, as also the puma, or mountain lion, partake more of the "cat" tenacity of life than does the lion of South Africa.

Tracking on High Ground.

The spoor led away towards some higher ground, intertwined with a tangled growth of creepers, and which looked just like the kind of harbor my game would be likely to take refuge in. I even thought I could discern some moving objects there. Anyway I followed the spoor right to where I had calculated I should find recent traces of the lioness if they had not left the vicinity, and suddenly in the sun, at full length among the rocky boulders, I came across one. As I approached, he lazily raised his head and looked at me, at the same time uttering a low growl, as if annoyed at my intrusion. As he did not seem inclined to move further, and must have descended and climbed the side of the little kloof which intervened between us before he could reach me, though I did not anticipate this, I walked on towards him, till I got to my side of the ravine, about thirty paces from him. He now seemed as if he had thought that he had permitted me to encroach far enough on his domain, and raised himself on his forequarters, the tip of his tail twitching in a manner which I knew meant mischief should I wound him. If he moved away I might not get a better chance, though I wished the distance had been

pea, and I believe she would have gone quietly away and taken her cubs with her, if I had not interfered. The tempest vented by a certain explorer of prominence, who evidently considers it a heinous crime to kill lions and similar gentle, useful creatures, had not then come to my knowledge, nor that they would have influenced me a bit, if such had been the case, and her rich, tawny skin was sufficient temptation for me; so I aimed at her throat, which presents a much easier and safer mark than that of the lion, with its matted and tangled mane, sufficient at times to offer considerable impediment to a bullet. She must have raised her head as I fired, for my ball passed harmlessly by; fortunately, too, for me, missing the youngster immediately behind her, or a pretty hullabaloo might have been the result. All the same, I was in no enviable position, with my carbine empty, in close proximity to these three cats. I followed the old adage of keeping my eye intently fixed on that of the lioness; whether that had anything to do with her refraining from charging I will not pretend to say, but she did remain still whilst I mechanically reloaded and as mechanically brought up my weapon. Taking more careful aim this time, I potted her right in her white cravat, sending her in a somersault over the young ones to their little astonishment, and, what with the roaring of the lioness and the row made by the cubs, there was quite a Bedlam. Then, appearing to realize their danger, they



A MOMENT OF DEADLY PERIL DURING A HUNT.

hunting such game as I was after had a great fascination. It was no use my talking to Bob, and the other boy would probably have fled at the first sight of a lion, so I started off myself and tramped about until I was pretty well exhausted, without finding any further indications of "lilouan." Much disgusted, I returned to camp, pleased that I had not decided to inspan and trek farther, without satisfying myself that I had not passed a lion by; for I meant moving as soon as ever the moon was old enough to guide us at all. That evening I whiled away the time while daylight lasted in cleaning the skull of the lioness and entering up my diary for the last week or so. My clothing also sadly needed patching up after the wait-a-bit thorns of the day before. Then I turned in early and was soon in the realm of dreamland, to be awakened by the unmistakable roar of a lion.

I had been right after all, but only felt half pleased at being disturbed. There was nothing for it but to mount guard again, and another broken night's rest was the consequence. Still the animals did not seem to approach any nearer. By the sound they were evidently close by the water. As soon as the morning snack was over I set the boys to work to get everything in readiness for inspanning, and started off once again, this time keeping close along the bank of the river as the most likely way of coming across the spoor of the lion. I still thought it prudent to rest my horse, as when we got farther out into the veldt I should find it much more difficult to dispenze with him than where I then was, with pretty well of cover. A couple of miles down the river I found where the lions had been drinking. There were several of them—three, anyway, as I could distinguish from the pug marks—two full-grown ones and a cub, or cubs.

This discovery caused me to reflect a bit as to the wisdom of proceeding single-handed. However, I must either give up the idea of the hunt altogether, or tackle them myself; for I had no confidence in the boys at such work, and I would much rather be without them than with them. Yet I felt it was a risky undertaking and recollections of a previous encounter in which I had been knocked senseless by a lion in a death charge flitted through my brain. If I had only had a dog I should not have thought anything of it, but my doubts were speedily dismissed and I stepped briskly forward. A lion dies a lot easier than a grizzly bear or a jaguar, as I had proved, and even a deer with a bullet through its heart

less; but on such occasions as these it does not do to hesitate long, so I took aim at his shoulder, which presented a fair mark, and as I fired he fell over with a roar which was answered some little way off, doubtless by his mate. I speedily got another cartridge in, and, as he lay writhing, I ran down the bank and up towards him. He recovered a little as I got nearer, covering him all the while, and made a futile attempt to charge me. As he did so, I gave him another shot in the chest, dropping him, though he was up again directly and glaring at me viciously. Again his roars were answered, but I could see no signs of any other lions; in fact, I dared not take my eyes more than an instant off the one I had in hand. I still kept moving steadily up to him, and, having got as near as I thought advisable, just as he seemed about to make another effort to come at me, I got a third bullet into him, this time catching him right in the ear and finishing him. He was a fully-grown young male, with a pretty fair mane, but nothing like so fine as others I have met with. I measured him by stepping, after I had stretched him out, and his length, from snout end to tip of tail, was a little over ten feet. I had no time then to see farther to him, but set about searching for the other lions, which were still in the underbrush adjoining. But though I beat almost every yard, as I thought, of cover, I could not come across them, they lay so close. Had they crossed the open, I could not very well have missed seeing them, as there was quite a distance of bare veldt all around the cover I was hunting through.

I was just persuading myself that they must have sneaked away, when a cub, about the size of a Newfoundland dog, jumped out of a thick patch pen, and I believe she would have and stood gazing steadily at me. I did not dare to empty my barrel at it, for I felt that its mother was near by. In a minute or so another cub followed the first and also took a good look at my doubtless unexpected person; and whilst my ideas were somewhat confused as to the really best course to pursue, a fine old lioness marched grandly out and stationed herself beside her progeny; at the same time fixing me in anything but a pleasant manner with her penetrating orbs of almost indescribable green.

Getting a Lioness with Her Cubs. New Zealand is healthy. New Zealand's population at the close of last year was estimated at 1,020,000, the death rate being only 9.67 a thousand.

I don't think she meant charging, however; one can tell intuitively pretty correctly when this is going to hap-

pen, and I believe she would have gone quietly away and taken her cubs with her, if I had not interfered. The tempest vented by a certain explorer of prominence, who evidently considers it a heinous crime to kill lions and similar gentle, useful creatures, had not then come to my knowledge, nor that they would have influenced me a bit, if such had been the case, and her rich, tawny skin was sufficient temptation for me; so I aimed at her throat, which presents a much easier and safer mark than that of the lion, with its matted and tangled mane, sufficient at times to offer considerable impediment to a bullet. She must have raised her head as I fired, for my ball passed harmlessly by; fortunately, too, for me, missing the youngster immediately behind her, or a pretty hullabaloo might have been the result. All the same, I was in no enviable position, with my carbine empty, in close proximity to these three cats. I followed the old adage of keeping my eye intently fixed on that of the lioness; whether that had anything to do with her refraining from charging I will not pretend to say, but she did remain still whilst I mechanically reloaded and as mechanically brought up my weapon. Taking more careful aim this time, I potted her right in her white cravat, sending her in a somersault over the young ones to their little astonishment, and, what with the roaring of the lioness and the row made by the cubs, there was quite a Bedlam. Then, appearing to realize their danger, they

suddenly vanished into cover again, rather to my relief. My lioness struggled so violently that it was difficult to finish her off, but at last she gave me a chance to put her out of her misery by a bullet through her brain. As soon as she lay still I seated myself upon her and waited for the reappearance of the cubs; but, although I stayed until the sun had got very low, I never saw anything more of either of them. I therefore whipped off her hide, and rolling it up returned to the lion, and served him likewise, getting through with the job before dusk. The hyenas could now worry at the carcasses, though I hoped I might find the skulls in the morning. Making my two skins into a bundle, though an unwieldy one, I carried it all right back to the wagon.

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Underground Passages. Underground passages for pedestrians are to be built at various points beneath the Champs Elysees, Paris, which the constant stream of motor cars now renders impassable from morning till evening. The congestion of other Paris streets also has grown to an alarming extent and all thoroughfares round the opera are blocked with the traffic for hours morning and afternoon. If the Champs Elysees tunnels prove a success others will be excavated in the center of Paris and foot passengers will in future cross not over the streets, but under them. It had been hoped to build the approaches to the Champs Elysees underground passages in inclined planes, down which perambulators could have been rolled easily. But this has been found too costly and only staircases will be provided.

Peat Gas a Cheap Fuel. The United States government through the geological survey is endeavoring to work up interest in the subject of peat as a fuel, and it is asserted that gas made from peat compares a fuel that is cheaper than the power of Niagara Falls. There are between 2,000 and 3,000 square miles of peat in the western part of New York which is now regarded as worthless, and it is the object of the government officials to make this and other similar lands productive.

New Zealand is Healthy. New Zealand's population at the close of last year was estimated at 1,020,000, the death rate being only 9.67 a thousand.

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE LEAD

THREE ITEMS OF TARIFF BILL ARE AGREED UPON AS DESIRED BY ALDRICH.

DUTY ON LEAD REDUCED 1-8 C.

Ten Republicans Vote With Democrats on Curtis Amendment and Borah Voted With Republicans—Tariffs Withdrawn.

Washington, May 21.—The senate distributed its attention among the three items in the tariff bill providing a duty on an extract of chestnut bark used in tanning, known as quebracho, on cottonseed oil and on white lead. On each of these articles, the senate was led by the committee on finance, although the committee was induced to change its original suggestions on both white lead and cotton seed oil.

The lead duty is fixed by the committee was originally 2 7-8 cents per pound, but Mr. Curtis, who is a member of the committee suggested a reduction of 1-8 c a pound, bringing the figure down 2 3-4 cents and Chairman Aldrich accepted the reduction. Even this increase over the house provision excited sharp criticism especially from Mr. Curtis' colleague, Mr. Brewster, who contended that the duty would prove to be a direct tax on the consumers.

When the vote was taken, the committee obtained its usual triumph, the vote standing 41 to 32 in favor of the Curtis amendment.

As usual Senators Beveridge, Brewster, Brown, Burkett, Clapp, Cummins, Dooliver, Gamble, La Follette and Nelson voted with the Democrats. Senator Borah voted with the Republicans.

Probably the most interesting contest of the day was that over the question as to whether there should be any duty on cottonseed oil. Senators Tillman, Bacon and Money made an intense fight against the senate provision fixing a tariff of three cents a gallon, on the ground that it would injure the sale of cottonseed and after the controversy had gone on for some time, Mr. Aldrich withdrew the provision.

Mr. LaFollette sought to reduce the duty on quebracho to one quarter of one cent a pound, but his amendment to that effect was rejected 29 to 38.

Mr. Daniel led the fight for a higher rate, exciting much interest because of his advocacy of low duties in the past. The committee had reduced the house rate and the Virginia senator in whose state are several quebracho factories sought to have that figure restored. He did not succeed and the duty was fixed at half a cent per pound instead of 7-8 cent as he proposed.

DRAWING THE COLOR LINE

New York Justice Holds Negro and White Man Do Not Suffer Equal Humiliation.

New York, May 22.—A negro and a white man do not suffer equal humiliation in the eyes of law for false arrest, according to the appellate division of the supreme court, which sustained an order of Justice Dugro, reducing the amount of damages awarded George Giffis, a Pullman porter from \$2,500 to \$300. The negro was arrested in Montreal charged with stealing a pocketbook, but the charge was not substantiated. He brought suit against Daniel H. Brady, a New York manufacturer, who caused his arrest.

In his order, Justice Dugro said: "While in some senses the negro under the law is just as good a man as the president of the United States it would be argument to say he is just as good in some respects. The damages in a case of this kind depend on a man's standing and circumstances. If he is colored, that fact should be considered."

GAS MEN ELECT OFFICERS

W. H. McKenzie of Kansas City Heads National Organization—Oklahoma City Gets Next Meeting.

Columbus, O., May 21.—The following officers of the National Natural Gas convention were elected:

W. H. McKenzie, Kansas City, Mo., president.

John M. Garard, Columbus, Ohio, vice-president.

T. C. Jones, Delaware, Ohio, secretary-treasurer.

K. M. Mitchell, of St. Joseph, Mo., was elected director for the western territory, and P. W. Luper, of Columbus, was elected director for eastern territory.

Oklahoma City was selected as the place for next year's meeting.

New Editor for Church Advocate.

Fort Scott, Kans., May 22.—Rev. S. G. Yahn, of Western Pennsylvania, was selected by the general eldership of the Church of God as editor of the Church Advocate, official paper of the denomination.

THOUGHTS OF THE OLD HOME

When All Else Is Forgotten, Those Linger in the Memory.

You can't forget, no matter how hard you may try, for your old home, the one you first knew, is so deeply impressed upon your mind that all the glories, the riches and the blandishments of modern times cannot blot the picture out, and in spite of all you go back to it by the memory route, and linger there often, and more often as the years gather around you.

That is why you like to read of the old days, even though you would not have them return.

Do you ever tell your children about your old home, and of your visits to granddaddy's; your tours of exploration through old attics infested with wasp's nests, and hanging with dried herbs, seed corn, sickles and one truck and another?

And, maybe, some time you may have slept in an attic under a clapboard roof through which you could see the stars, and through which sifted fine snow when the wind was strong. Nor were you cold, for the home-made blankets and the quilts the girls had pieced, and the coverlets that grandmother had woven were warm on top, while the thick straw tick, and the soft feather tick formed a nest that would be "warm and comfy" anywhere.

You would hardly regard those as essential to your comfort in your new house, but they were real blessings then, and are blessed to recall and talk about now.

Would you forget these?—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

HAVE STRANGE SOUND TO US.

Peculiar Names Common in English County of Lancashire.

"Lancashire folk," one of them is reminded to tell us, "have their own ideas regarding Christian names, and one of the curious appellations they delight in appears in the London Daily News in an account of the clever way in which a runaway horse was stopped at Preston. The horse's name was Doctor Whittaker, and it is no uncommon one in County Palatine, where fond parents often give the seventh son that courtesy title, which leads to much misunderstanding when he grows up. Another freak is the reduplication of the surname, such combinations as Briggs Briggs, Yates Yates and Fish Fish being fairly frequent.

Compounds of the Sarah Alice, Phoebe Ann and John Henry type are," adds this authority, "greatly in evidence, and both names are always used in addressing the fortunate possessors—so much so that parents will sometimes have two of their offspring christened Sarah, the girls being in their opinion amply distinguished by the fact that one is called Sarah Jane and the other Sarah Alice."

Seeing and Thinking.

Most people see an object when they think of it. They can see before their eyes a geometrical drawing or the figures on a chessboard when they think of them. In order to think at all most men make use of images, though they may be of different kinds. Thus, one man when he thinks of "Italy" sees just the printed word; another sees the country's outline on a map; another may see the country spread out before him, with its villages and towns smouldering in the plains. Psychologists are beginning to classify the different aids or images of which men make use. Some, for example, hear the words of their thought within themselves; others read them, as if the words were written generally in black on a white ground.

The Queen of S.

A correspondent sends an amusing story of a visit which the archbishop of Canterbury recently paid to a certain Sunday school. For a few minutes Dr. Davidson took in hand a class of small girls who were going over the story of Solomon. "Now," he asked, "who was the great queen who traveled so many miles and miles to see the king?" No one answered. "Why, you all know. The queen who came to see the king?" Still no one seemed to remember. "You do know, I am sure," persisted Dr. Davidson. "The name begins with S; and she was a very great queen." Just then a little hand shot up, and a shrill voice cried: "Please, I know, the Queen of Spades." M. A. P.

Sad Is Sad.

A mother, who was rather fond of the cheaper 10, 20, 30-cent melodramas, one afternoon took her young daughter, who had grown to consider herself above that sort of thing.

The daughter was bored, but the mother was greatly interested, and finally, when the heroine had got into a seemingly inextricable position, broke down and sobbed heartily.

"Mother, I wouldn't cry here," whispered the daughter significantly, accentuating the last word.

"Let me alone," replied the other hysterically. "If a thing is sad, it's sad; I can't cry according to price."—Life.

Warning to Householders.

The frank statement of a burglar who was "caught with the goods" after a good description of him had been obtained from a pawnbroker, should serve as a warning to careless occupants of houses, says the Albany Journal. This candid housebreaker unbosomed himself as follows:

"It is easy to rob houses. In my two-months' experience I have had to break into only one of the nice houses I have robbed, the others all being easy by reason of unlocked windows."

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Has Built Schools, Founded Libraries, Entertainment Halls, Gymnasiums and Many Facilities for the Pleasure Education and Happiness of Its Employees.

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To every thinking person it must occur that the most lavish and the richest natural resources of any state would be as naught were it not for the master minds that organize and develop them. The promoter and the capitalist are therefore among the most useful of men in this country today and through the largeness of their intellects and the constructive qualities of their minds, thousands of people are blessed and their great work extends out into the world, influencing every class of industrial enterprise to a more far-reaching and powerful extent than any but a studious mind can grasp. The promoter and capitalist achieves wealth naturally and deservedly, yet this is acquired at the cost of infinite study, of long and tireless effort of great patience and perseverance against obstacles often tremendous, which would easily dispirit a less courageous man. To illustrate this there can possibly be no better example than that offered by the St. Bernard Mining Company which we feel free to say, unsolicited, has performed a great work in the development of Kentucky resources and has brought competency and happiness to a large number of thrifty people. This corporation is engaged in drawing great results from Mother Earth, but it gives back much to the natural resources of the state and to humanity. To review the origin and achievement of the St. Bernard Mining Company we will begin at the time of its inception which occurred in 1870 by the merging of the interests and efforts of a few clear-headed, and sagacious men. The company secured large property holdings in a hitherto unimproved and undeveloped section of Kentucky. Coal having been discovered it was necessary to open mines in order to bring forth the underground richness and to do that in any paying measure large wealth and expenditure was the first necessity. The St. Bernard Company supplied this and at the present time has in successful operation nine large and productive mines. So actively have these mines been worked that they produce a large percentage of the entire coal output of the state. Around these mines now lie the greatest coal fields of Kentucky, which have been of tremendous importance in raising the reputation of the state among sister commonwealths, and which have contributed immeasurably to the State's support through taxes, the stimulation of commercial activities and a greatly increased population. The St. Bernard Company's mines are located on the Louisville & Nashville R. R. and the Illinois Central R. R. in Hopkins and Webster counties and the heavy coal traffic from the mines has done much toward the development and extension of the railroad service which is employed by all the people in the state and by tourists generally. More explicitly, the mines are located at Earlinton, Mortons Gap, Barnsley and Providence and St. Charles, Kentucky. They are designated as Earlinton, No. 9 and No. 11, Hecla, Arnold, Barnsley, Diamond, Fox Run, and Shamrock. The coal produced is bituminous, is rich in oils and

possesses great heating properties. The product of these mines includes all sizes of steam and domestic coals and is one of the very best on the market for manufacturing purposes and is largely in demand by factories, mills and all plants where great quantities of fuel are required. For domestic use the coals are especially valuable as they are of a better grade, burn freely and hold fire longer than the majority of bituminous coals. The annual production of the mines aggregates upward of 1,200,000 tons. The company also operates 150 coke ovens which turn out a large tonnage of high grade coke, considerably augmenting the company's activities. This is one of the most productive coal regions in the entire country and the St. Bernard's activities are a large factor in the coal supply of the Middle West. The St. Bernard Mining Company produces more than one-half of Hopkins county's tonnage and Hopkins county itself produces one-fourth of the entire output of the state. Considering the fact that Kentucky is one of the largest coal producing states in this latitude, the importance of the activities of this concern can be convincingly gauged. In its various mines the company employs about 1,500 people and to assist in the work of mining the management has invested a large percentage of its profits in improved mining facilities. Throughout their mines electric power has been installed, and mining machines, operated both by electricity and compressed air, have become a part of the equipment. Tracks for electrically propelled coal cars have been laid. The mines are wired throughout for electric lighting and in every respect the work of the operatives is so aided that an unusually large daily production can be secured with much less actual labor than is usual. The company has recently made several additions to this equipment, has installed coal crushing and loading machinery, erected new tipples and increased the water supply. They recently opened a new mine which is now being worked most successfully. The veins of coal in the company's mines vary in thickness from 5 1/2 to 7 feet according to the vein worked, and the company's property holdings will enable them without doubt to operate successfully for generations to come. The output of the St. Bernard company's mines

is marketed in the states of Kentucky, Tennessee, Indiana, Illinois and Mississippi, and they ship coal by rail entirely. The main offices are established at Earlinton, Ky., and the company has opened two important branch offices and yards in Paducah. These are located in such a way as to afford excellent facilities and are designed chiefly to supply the local trade, which, with the large industries of this city, is of heavy volume, and to promptly supply patrons and the trade in the contiguous territory. The splendid business ability of the company's management and its far-sighted sagacity is shown by the great development of its property and the consequent impetus such improvements have afforded to other property holders in that vicinity.

The Company owns extensive tracts of land in fee simple as well as the mineral rights under some thousands of acres as a reserve for future coal operations. A portion of the area is set aside for farms and on other tracts the company has now splendid young forests of trees of various kinds that will become of great future value to the mining operations. The company has now 1 1/4 million young black walnut trees, many of them fifteen to eighteen years old. Since 1905 has planted 160,000 Catalpa Speciosa on 230 acres of ground, 200,000 black locust on 280 acres of ground and 10,000 tulip trees on twenty acres. Their extensive farms are chiefly devoted to the growing of hay to feed the live stock employed in their mining operations. The Company's farms also yield considerable crops of corn, fruits and



vegetables and some cattle are raised. The timber produced on the company's property and held for present and future mining operations adds greatly to the beauty and healthfulness of that region. Through the activities of this company an entire city has sprung into existence and the thriving city of Earlinton, which has a population of 4,000 happy and thrifty people, has become an important railroad town as well as a

been developed at Earlinton, not through solicitation or influence but because of the extreme importance of the freight tonnage originating there and in the immediate vicinity. The company is capitalized at \$1,000,000.

The company's semi-monthly cash payrolls keep going a constant stream of money that rattles steadily into general circulation and furnishes the merchant, the banker, the manufac-

turer, the farmer, with the ammunition of business and industry. And this money is gathered in other states and cities and brought home for distribution. The officers are John B. Atkinson, president, and Geo. C. Atkinson, secretary and treasurer.

The St. Bernard Mining Company maintains general wholesale and retail agencies in Paducah, Louisville, Nashville, Memphis and Evansville, where they have numerous large coal yards, in which is stored annually enormous stocks of the vari-

ous grades of coal and coke they produce at their own mines, together with anthracite, Pittsburg and some other coals in general demand in retail city trade. At St. Louis this company is represented by a large wholesale sales agency for the sale of its coke, and in times when there are strikes in other fields, for the sale of coal. Earlinton, the home of the St. Bernard, has an inexhaustible water supply in Loch Mary, a beautiful artificial lake made twenty years ago by building a dam across a valley in the western suburbs of the town. This lake has been enlarged this year by building the dam two feet higher, and now covers about one hundred and thirty acres and contains more than 230,000,000 gallons of water. This body of water was originally provided to supply water for the coal washing plant at the coke ovens and for the operation of the mine plants generally. At the same time the pleasure and recreation of the people of Earlinton and surrounding country was thought of and provided for. The lake was stocked with fine fish and there is no restriction on fishing except during the spawning season. Beautiful natural parks were fenced and improved, groves of young trees planted on the slopes surrounding and row boats and other pleasure craft put on the lake. From this lake comes the water supply for the city of Earlinton, which is put into the mains from a direct pumping station located at the lake and operated twenty-four hours in the day. Earlinton has a splendid system

of tree graded and high schools, located in a modern and commodious brick building that is not surpassed in construction or equipment by any school house in Kentucky. There is also a similar building for the colored school children. Both these schools are taught for nine months in each year. Both these buildings were erected and paid for entirely by the St. Bernard company and a liberal appropriation is made annually out of the company's treasury to support these schools, for which the public school money is not nearly sufficient. There is no local school tax. There are, also, two free public libraries, one for white and the other for colored people. The buildings and the books and periodicals are supplied by the company and the librarians are paid out of its treasury.

Earlinton has two banks with aggregate deposits of \$210,000.

The Government Rifle Range is Earlinton's latest important acquisition, located above the head of Loch Mary on a tract of land leased to Uncle Sam by the St. Bernard Mining Company for a term of twenty years. The Government has spent more than six thousand dollars equipping this range for the use of the Kentucky State Guard; more particularly for the Third Regiment. This is one of the three rifle ranges which it has been announced would be located in Kentucky. The other two have not been built. A regimental camp has been located in the outskirts of Earlinton, which will be lighted by electricity and supplied with water from the city mains. Here the Third Regiment will go into camp for the first time on the 10th day of August of this year for annual encampment and rifle practice. The Earlinton military company has the highest record of any in the state for standing, at all past annual inspections.

This is in part and briefly the story of Kentucky's pioneer coal mining company and some of the activities and improvements in outside affairs that have followed and been stimulated and produced by the development of the mining operations of the St. Bernard Mining Company of Earlinton, Ky.

FOR YOUR HEALTH'S SAKE

PLAYING AT HYGIENE.

Did it ever occur to you that when you see children playing in the open air and romping in the sunshine they are playing hygiene, which means health?

If only we older people would throw dignity aside and play the game more than we do we would be much better off than we are.

To be sure, the game need not be as violent as "black man," "tag," or "three cornered cat," but long walks in the open air, tending a small garden or cultivating flowers instead of tin cans and rubbish in the back yard, would be pretty certain to produce good results in many ways.

Passive Virtue Not Enough.

Beware of making your moral staple consist of the negative virtues. It is good to abstain from all that is hurtful and sinful. But to make a business of it leads to emaciation of character, unless one feeds largely also on the more nutritious diet of active sympathies, benevolence.—Oliver Wendell Holmes

